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## STUDENTS LEAP TO TREE FROM BURNING HOUSE

Forty Lives Imperilled in Destruction of Brighton, Ill., Institution, and One Severely Burned Before Escaping.

YOUNG WOMAN DESCENDS LIGHTNING ROD SAFELY

Superintendent Gives Alarm in Smoke-Filled Halls—Fire Company Too Late to Prevent Destruction of Building.

Forty students had thrilling escapes from death in a fire, discovered at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, which completely destroyed the Dodge & Clark School for Stammerers, at Brighton, Ill., 30 miles north of St. Louis.

Most of them saved their lives by coming down lightning rods from the windows of their rooms or by leaping to the branches of a tree which stood near one end of the building.

One student was severely burned, but no lives were lost.

The fire illuminated the surrounding country for miles and brought the entire population of the town and the surrounding neighborhood to the scene. Before the people arrived in sufficient number to fight the fire the flames had gained such headway that the building was doomed.

The building was a large three-story brick, the largest and finest in the town and its pride. The present building was almost new.

The fire was discovered at about the same time by Clinton Clark, night watchman of the town, and Henry Dodge, superintendent and one of the proprietors of the institution.

Mr. Dodge occupied apartments on the second floor with his wife and two small children. He was up at 2 o'clock attending to the wants of his youngest child, who was unwell, when his attention was attracted by a glare at the east end of the building.

He rushed out and found that the east end of the building was in flames.

Hurrying his wife and children out of the building he ran through the corridors, pounding on the doors of the rooms occupied by the students on the second and third floors and shouting "Fire!"

Of the students only two were girls. They occupied a room on the second floor and descended by way of the stairs.

### Ledge Avenue of Escape.

Many of the occupants of the third floor owe the preservation of their lives to a ledge, little more than a foot in width, running around the greater part of the building under the third floor windows. Driven by the flames, the students climbed out on this ledge, and from it leaped to the roof of the porch along the front of the building, and either leaped from there to the ground or slid down the posts.

The most thrilling escapes were those of Miss May Partridge and Herman Whisman of California.

Miss Partridge had a room on the third floor. She climbed out on the ledge and clung there until the flames, sweeping out through the window, made it necessary, as it seemed, for her to either creep along the ledge or jump. She was about to jump when she discovered a lightning rod near. She reached that and let herself down hand over hand by means of it to the second floor. With one foot on a window sill she clung there until Emil Frans of Brighton ran a ladder up and assisted her to the ground.

Herman Whisman's room was on the third floor, at the east end of the building. He was forced out on the icy ledge. It was not far from the window of his room to a point over the front porch, but there was a gap in the ledge between where he was and the porch. To reach the porch it was necessary for him to creep along the ledge in the opposite direction, almost completely around the building, before he reached a place where he could jump to the porch.

As he approached one of the windows, the flames began to pour out. It was a desperate hazard to crawl through the flames and smoke, but the wall was getting hot behind him, and no ladder had arrived, and it was the only chance.

Flames licked his face and severely burned his ears as he was getting past, but he clung to the ledge and continued his perilous journey.

### Jumped in Bare Feet.

When he reached a point above the porch he jumped down on it and slid to the ground.

One of the young men, barefooted, jumped to the ground from the second-story window of his room, but was not hurt.

John Blominger and William Shutle jumped from the third floor to the roof of the porch and were not hurt.

The students lost all their personal effects, and one of them lost $125 which was in his room. Mr. Dodge and his family also lost all their effects. There was $1800 worth of furniture in the building, and most of it was lost.

One of the girl students who got out safely was Miss Valentine of New Douglas, Ill.

The Cottage Hotel and the livery stable and residence of Jule Smith, close to the school, were threatened but were saved by a bucket brigade which the roofs wet. After the fire the students were sheltered at private residences in the town.

## WOMAN LEAPS FROM WINDOW ON THIRD FLOOR

Miss Jean Keller Suffers Only Slight Injuries After Falling 30 Feet to Granitoid Pavement on Lindell Boulevard.

Miss Jean Keller, 22 years old, an invalid from nervous prostration for nine weeks, jumped from the window of her bedroom in the third floor apartments of Mrs. E. S. Sensler at 4317 Lindell boulevard Tuesday morning.

The fall was 30 feet to a granitoid pavement between two houses, but Miss Keller's only apparent injuries were a broken small bone in her left ankle and a dislocated hip joint.

The case was not reported to the police, and the young woman's leap was not learned of until Wednesday.

It is believed that her act was prompted by some sudden hallucination of pursuit, due to her illness. Since her leap she has refused to talk. She does not even complain of the pain occasioned by the broken bone and the dislocated joint.

Miss Keller's previous history is her own secret in a large measure, as her friends say she refuses to discuss her family. She has lived in St. Louis for two years and has been popular with those who have met her. She is refined, handsome and well educated.

A year ago Miss Keller and Mrs. Sneeler, who is a widow with a grown son, met at a social function and became friends. At this time Miss Keller was living on the South Side. Miss Keller and Mrs. Sensler were much together during the past summer and made frequent tours of the World's Fair. In the latter part of October Miss Keller accepted Mrs. Sensler's invitation to become a guest at her home.

Soon afterward Miss Keller became stricken with nervous prostration, and she and Mrs. Sensler went to Arlington, Mo., where Miss Keller became a patient in a sanitarium. She seemed improved, and returned with Mrs. Sensler to St. Louis a few days ago.

Monday Mrs. Sensler called Dr. G. W. Haverstick of 4317 Lindell boulevard to treat Miss Keller. He found her condition serious, and advised that she be closely watched.

Tuesday morning Mrs. Sensler left Miss Keller's room shortly after 9 o'clock to get breakfast for her, which she prepared herself. At that time Miss Keller was in bed.

When Mrs. Sensler returned a few moments later with the breakfast tray in her hand, she found Miss Keller at the open window. She had partly dressed.

Mrs. Sensler called to her. Instead of turning from the window, she sprang upon the sill and leaped off.

Mrs. Sensler ran to the window and saw her falling; then she called her maid and ran downstairs.

Neighbors in the house next door to Mrs. Sensler's home also saw Miss Keller's leap and fall. They say she stepped quickly upon the window sill and dropped straight.

She struck the granitoid walk on her feet, but evidently her knees were bent in such a way that the force of the long fall was broken and she was saved from the instant death which was expected. Mrs. Sensler and neighbors carried her back to her room. She was not unconscious, but refused to give any explanation of her leap.

"It is surprising that the fall did not cause fatal concussion," said Dr. Haverstick. "It is remarkable that the spine was not driven against the base of the brain in such manner as to cause almost instant death. So far I have been unable to find internal injuries, and the only injuries are the broken bone in the ankle and the dislocation."

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## GOV. FOLK GIVES PHELPS "HOURS" TO LEAVE TOWN

Gould System Agent First to Hear from State Executive That He Will Not Tolerate Legislative Lobbyists.

"I'M GLAD OF IT, I'LL TRUST FOLK," SAYS PHELPS

None of the Familiar Faces of Those Who Look After Legislative Votes Have So Far Appeared at Jefferson City.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 17.—Lobbyists are due to have a rocky road to travel if the ultimatum issued by Gov. Folk today to railroad companies and other corporations which heretofore have maintained legislative agents at the state capitol during the session of the General Assembly, that their work must be conducted along strictly legitimate lines, is carried into effect.

The first man to be informed of the governor's proposed policy was Col. William H. Phelps, the agent of the Gould railroad corporations, which embrace the Missouri Pacific, Chicago & Alton, St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern, and St. Louis Southwestern Railroad companies.

"There will be no exception to the general rule I have decided to adopt with respect to the representatives of corporations interested in legislation," said Gov. Folk to the railroad attorney.

### Phelps' Stay Is Limited.

"You must report to me when you come to Jefferson City and the purpose of your coming. If a bill is pending before a committee which affects your employers, you have a perfect right to appear before the committee, but you have no right to remain longer than 30 hours on any particular visit. This I consider ample time for you to transact whatever business you have on hand hand."

Mr. Folk did not say what the consequences would be if a lobbyist violated his injunction. It is understood the penalty will be the severest the administration can make it under the circumstances.

Gov. Folk declined to say anything today regarding the interview which he had with Phelps, but said that he had determined to keep lobbyists away from the state house or even from maintaining headquarters at the capitol at all.

Col. Phelps expressed himself satisfied with the new order of things.

"I have not issued a solitary pass to anyone connected with the General Assembly, said he, "nor do I intend to.

"We shall depend upon Gov. Folk to protect us from sandbagging legislation. That is the chief source of annoyance to railroad companies.

### Colonel Trusts Gov. Folk.

"I am perfectly content the way matters now stand. I have been the target of abuse for a good many years, but only because I have been compelled to protect my own interests. It is not necessary for me to be a target any longer.

"I have full faith in the honesty, sincerity and fairness of the General Assembly. And, furthermore, I believe Mr. Folk's attitude with respect to corporations will be entirely impartial.

### Familiar Faces Missing.

John H. Carroll, who usually represents the Burlington interests, had decided to remain away altogether. He is at present in Washington, looking after the affairs of the Northern Securities Co. Christopher Ellerbe, legislative agent of the life insurance companies, has also evidently concluded to stay at home. At the 1901 and 1903 sessions of the Legislature he was a frequent visitor to Jefferson City. Often he remained at the capitol three or four days at a time.

The fire insurance companies, it is understood, have agreed to trust their legislative interests, so far as "hold up" legislation is concerned, to the new administration.

### History of the Lobby.

The Missouri state house lobby traces its origin back to the days of the Civil War. Then the state was just entering upon the construction of vast railroad systems. Franchise grabbers sprung up like mushrooms. Gradually the germ of a corruption ate its way into state politics. The railroads year by year increased their hold on political conventions, nominating candidates of their liking for high official places.

One of the most celebrated lobbyists of the olden times was Frank Hickox, a lawyer of ability, and an expert at the art of legislative manipulation. He represented the North Missouri Railroad Co., now the Wabash system. When the Missouri Pacific came in to prominence he also performed service for that corporation in Jefferson City.

In the early seventies the lobby flock at Jefferson City spread out into all directions. Railroad passes were employed to influence legislation. Members who hesitated to accept money yielded to the subtle temptation of free transportation.

The late Col. John O'Day was probably the most influential lobbyist of that period. O'Day operated boldly and at times recklessly. He was the general attorney of the Frisco Railroad Company and in addition acted in behalf of other corporations which needed a skillful man at the helm of legislative affairs.

Ed Kenna, now general counsel of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad Co., owes his start to O'Day's downfall.

### Kenna Reveals Big Figures.

Kenna had been employed as a subordinate in the legal department of the Frisco company at Springfield, Mo. One day during O'Day's absence he discovered some facts which proved mighty interesting to the directors of the corporation. Among other items was one showing O'Day had expended for legal service incident to a session of the Legislature nearly $200,000.

Efforts to find to whom the money had been paid proved unavailing. O'Day's official scalp went off double quick.

It has been the custom of public service corporations to allow their legislative agents an "expense account."

This account is not supposed to contain specifically the purposes for which money is used on the legislators.

It is estimated that at some sessions of the Legislature the expense accounts of all the lobbyists combined footed up over $1,000,000.

The average salary paid to the railroad legislative agent is $600 a year, but this does not include what he may make "on the side."

*This Young Bride Escaped the Vigil of Her Mother and Was Wedded*



MRS. LEONA KNOBLER.

## MOTHER OVERLOOKED GRETNA GREEN; NOW SHE HAS A NEW SON-IN-LAW

In Telephoning to County Seats to Prevent Issuance of License She Overlooked St. Charles and Young Couple Accordingly, Hied Themselves Thither.

Because Mrs. H. P. Ritter overlooked St. Charles when she was sending out warnings to marriage license clerks not to issue a license to her daughter, Leona, Mrs. Ritter now has a son-in-law.

Mrs. Ritter telephoned the warnings from the corner drug store, and Leona somehow learned that she had not told the license man at St. Charles about it.

It would have been flying in the face of fate not to have taken advantage of the omission, and Leona had no thought of flying in the face of fate.

Miss Leona went to St. Charles with Arthur Knobler and by telling the license clerk that she was 18 years old, a license was obtained and these two were married.

The Ritter home is at 1448 Dolman street. Leona is only 16 years old, and for that reason her mother did not want her to get married. Arthur Knobler, 22 years old, of 1838 South Twelfth street, had asked her to be his bride and she had confided to her mother that she wanted to say yes, but her mother had said "nonsense" and called her a child.

Monday afternoon Leona announced that she was going downtown to meet a girl friend and go to a matinee. Her mother had a premonition that the girl friend would turn out to be another sort of friend and before letting Leona go she went to Bolm's drug store at Park avenue and Dolman street and telephoned, as she thought, everywhere, warning license clerks and county clerks not to issue a marriage license to her daughter. But she overlooked St. Charles.

Knobler met her downtown and they went to St. Charles and were married and returned to his father's home. Wednesday morning the bride went home and told her mother about it and after a while was forgiven. The couple will reside for the present with the parents of the young husband.

## DAN C. NUGENT FOR POLICE BOARD

Prominent Merchant, Personal Friend of Gov. Folk, Will Be Tendered Appointment.

News dispatches to the Post-Dispatch from Jefferson City today say Gov. Folk will ask Mr. Dan C. Nugent, of the well-known firm of that name, and himself one of the foremost men of the city, to accept place on the Board of Police Commissioners.

When asked by a Post-Dispatch reporter for an expression on the subject, Mr. Nugent good-naturedly said he would rather not discuss it at this time. He gave the impression that he believed the information should all come from the governor's office.

Others considered for police commissionerships, according to the dispatches, are Peter J. Doerr, South St. Louis banker, and Curtis M. Jennings, well-known St. Louis lumber merchant. It is possible Mr. Jennings will be made an election commissioner.

## CLEAR, BUT COLDER AS WELL

Crisp Air Expected to Follow Breaking Up of Rain After Wednesday Night.

Clear and colder weather is to follow the rain. The dismal conditions will continue through the day and much of the night, but the skies will probably have cleared by Thursday morning and more crispness will be in the air.




The official forecast: "Rains this afternoon and tonight, followed by clearing and cooler weather Thursday; variable winds; minimum temperature tonight, 32 degrees."

Rains are extensive but slight over central Illinois, Missouri, eastern Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Louisiana and Texas.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

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## WOMAN ACCUSES DETECTIVE

PUEBLO, Colo., Jan. 18.—In a deposition of Mrs. Blanche Shaw, presented here in a hearing in the district court in the election fraud cases, Mrs. Shaw declares that she assisted chief of detectives E. H. Wilson in making out dozens of fraudulent registration sheets and received pay from him for so doing.

"Advertising that Pays Grows."

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## KERENS BOLT BEATS T. K. NIEDRINGHAUS ON TWO JOINT BALLOTS

Defection of Six Legislators on First and Eight on Second Vote Renders Majority for State Chairman Impossible and Session is Adjourned With Lawmakers Deadlocked in Senatorial Contest.

COCKRELL IS CLOSE BEHIND THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEE

Democratic Choice Holds 83 Votes of His Party, While Main Opponent Drops From 87 to 85—Kerens Gets First 6 and Then 7 Ballots, and Pettijohn Has 1—Malcontents Vow to Fight to the Last.

THE BOLTERS.

John L. Roach, Buchanan.
Glover Branch, Lafayette.
F. R. Cook, Howell.
C. E. Elliot, Jasper.
James Roach, Jasper.
Oliver Grace, St. Louis.
George Hatsfeldt, Newton.
B. M. Kirkham, Camden.

FIRST BALLOT.

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|---|---|
| Niedringhaus | 87 |
| Cockrell | 83 |
| Kerens | 6 |

SECOND BALLOT.

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|---|---|
| Niedringhaus | 85 |
| Cockrell | 83 |
| Kerens | 7 |
| Pettijohn | 1 |

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 18.—Thomas K. Niedringhaus failed to secure a majority in the Missouri Legislature today for United States senator.

Two joint ballots were taken. The first resulted as follows: Niedringhaus 87, Cockrell 83, Kerens 6. The second: Niedringhaus 85, Cockrell 83, Kerens 7, Pettijohn 1. Then the joint session adjourned until tomorrow.

A Kerens bolt was Niedringhaus' undoing. It followed a conference at the McCarthy House this morning between Kerens and his lieutenants. At its conclusion Mr. Kerens refused to speak. Several of the confreres plainly indicated, however, their intention to abandon Niedringhaus and to stick by their old leader.

They had done their duty, they declared, when they cast their votes for Niedringhaus when yesterday's ballots were taken separately in the two houses—ballots which it was well understood would decide nothing, a joint vote being necessary for a formal election.

### Joint Session Opens.

It was 10 minutes before noon when the senators filed into the chamber of the lower House for the joint session. All were present, including Frank Farris, who was absent Tuesday.

From the very first the Niedringhaus managers, aware of the desperate situation, made frantic efforts to bring the recalcitrants into line. Several persons pleaded with Representative Grace of St. Louis, the leader among the bolters, but without effect.

Just before the roll call Representative Conklin, a Carroll County Democrat, secured enforcement of the rule excluding all but newspaper correspondents and women from seats inside the rail. This drove out the lobbyists.

Roll calls of the House and Senate showed all members of both bodies present. Yesterday's journals were read. No majority of the two branches being shown, Lieutenant-Governor McKinley ordered a joint roll call.

### First Break Comes.

The first break from Niedringhaus came when the name of Representativ John L. Bittinger (Rep.) and one of the oldest members of the House, was called. Bittinger voted for R. C. Kerens. Slight applause followed. His example was emulated by Branch of Lafayette County. An outburst of cheers succeeded Branch's declaration.

Elliot of Jasper, who voted for Bittinger, yesterday cast his vote for Kerens.

The first ballot resulted in no election. The vote was Niedringhaus 87, Cockrell 83, Kerens 6.

The Kerens men were cheered as they bolted the nomination of the state chairman.

After Lieutenant-Governor McKinley had announced the official vote, Senator Fields moved that the joint session adjourn until noon Thursday.

The motion to adjourn was lost by a vote of 91 to 85, and the second rollcall proceeded for the second ballot.

On the second ballot Hatsfeldt of Newton switched from Niedringhaus to Kerens. Kickham of Camden jumped out of the Niedringhaus column, voting for Pettijohn. The original Kerens men, Bittinger, Branch, Elliott, Cook, Roach and Grace, stuck to Kerens. Grace described him as "Senator Kerens" in announcing his vote.

The second ballot resulted: Niedringhaus, 85; Cockrell, 83; Kerens, 7; Pettijohn, 1.

### Houses End Meetings.

The joint session adjourned until Thursday at noon, after the second ballot had been taken.

It is reported that the name of Maj. William Warner of Kansas City will be presented. The Warner men are threatening to leave the Niedringhaus forces. Representative Lyons of Kansas City, Warner's representative, said:

"I cannot say at this time whether we will spring Warner's name. We must await developments."

There were signs of trouble in the Republican ranks. Following a conference of the Kerens men at the McCarthy House at 9 o'clock this morning the defeat of T. K. Niedringhaus was predicted [illegible] of the conference.

"We're going to put the ro[illegible] him," remarked one representa[illegible] meeting adjourned.

The number of members wh[illegible] at the McCarthy House seemed the belief that the insurgents their power to block the elec[illegible] caucus nominee to the United ate.

The only question was: "Wil[illegible] do it, after having voted for N[illegible] yesterday?"

It was conceded that with M[illegible] Bittinger of St. Joseph rested [illegible] fate of Mr. Niedringhaus. He [illegible] and a dyed-in-the-wool Keren[illegible] name is near the top of the p[illegible]

After the conference Maj. [illegible] mained at the McCarthy Hous[illegible] Kerens. Neither would give o[illegible] ment, nor would Charles H. Gr[illegible]

The story that Col. Kerens c[illegible] ferson City to secure a solid [illegible] Niedringhaus received little [illegible] from the circumstances of th[illegible] The atmosphere was distinctly [illegible] ringhaus.

Among those at the McCarth[illegible] were Elliott and Roach of Jasper; [illegible] St. Louis; Stewart of Warren; [illegible] Howell, in addition to Maj. Bitting[illegible] and Kerens' lieutenants.

Carriages were at the door of the McCarthy House while the conference was on, and at its conclusion carried some of the members to the capitol.

Republican politicians from St. Joseph have joined the Kerens men in the anti-Niedringhaus moves thus far, and so have the leaders of the Democratic minority.

The St. Joseph men have been anxious to make Postmaster Arthur W. Brewster of their city a compromise candidate for senator.

A reorganization of the House was another move rumored as among the plans of the Kerens adherents. Dr. Alonzo Tubbs of Gasconade was mentioned as their choice for speaker.

## BILL RUDOLPH'S CASE HEARD

The case of Bill Rudolph, the bank robber, charged with the murder of Detective Charles J. Schumacher, who was convicted in the St. Louis Criminal Court and sentenced to death, was argued before the Missouri Supreme Court at Jefferson City, Wednesday, by Assistant Attorney-General Ramey Jefferies for the State and J. A. Frank of St. Louis for the defense, and submitted.

Division No. 2 of the court recently rendered an opinion affirming the judgment of murder against Rudolph, but the case was later transferred [illegible]

St. Louis ...Merchants...

Advertised in the St. Louis Newspapers, during the entire Year 1904, as follows:

| | COLUMNS. |
|---|---|
| Post-Dispatch, | 14,287 |
| Globe-Democrat, | 10,005 |
| Republic, | 9,646 |
| Star, | 5,781 |
| Chronicle, | 4,443 |

Why?

"FIRST IN EVERYTHIN[illegible]

# UNITED STATES TO GUARD CHINA FROM THE CZAR

### Secretary Hay's Note Really a Hint to Celestial Kingdom That It Need Fear Nothing From Aggressions of Nicholas.

### JAPS THREATEN FRENCH; RUSSIA BREAKS PLEDGE

### Mikado Lets Gallic Nation Know He Will Deal With Them Next—Chinese Town Is Seized by a Strong Muscovite Force.

**LONDON, Jan. 18.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to a news agency says it is rumored that Gen. Trepoff has been assassinated while en route to St. Petersburg from Moscow. Official confirmation is lacking.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Secretary Hay has virtually notified China that it may answer boldly to Russia's complaint that it has been violating the neutrality rules in the far eastern war. At the same time the Czar has been given a plain hint that aggressions against the Chinese empire will not be tolerated.

The secretary's reply to Russia's note charging violations of China's neutrality, handed today to Ambassador Cassini and dispatched to every European power which subscribed to the agreement limiting the field of hostilities in the East, is couched in the most diplomatic language. But there is no mistaking its meaning.

It expresses confidence that China has done its best to preserve a proper attitude and urges Russia to adhere to its agreement limiting the war zone.

Mr. Hay also addressed a note to China, through the American legation at Pekin, which has a double purpose. It formally admonishes the Chinese government to maintain an attitude which can give neither belligerent just ground for complaint and follows with an inquiry as to the truth of the Russian charges.

This inquiry is made for no other reason than to give the Chinese an opportunity to reply to the Russian note. The Chinese government is afraid to answer directly to Russia, but is anxious to strike at the Czar over Mr. Hay's shoulders, and Mr. Hay is quite willing that it should.

Mr. Hay knows now what the Chinese reply will be. It will be a vigorous denial of all the Russian charges.

Mr. Hay will make this reply public and in this way China will get her defense and her side of the case before the world. It will be intimated that China's reply is fully believed by this government.

State department officials have been given a hint as to the contents of Japan's answer to Russia. It will defend China and charge Russia with trying to drag China into the war. It will also practically serve notice that, after Japan is through with Russia, it will drive France from Indo-China in retaliation for its assistance to Russia.

### CZAR'S SOLDIERS AIDED BY CHINESE REGULARS

[illegible]KIO, Jan. 18.—A Japanese staff officer [illegible] the charge today that Chinese regu[illegible] accompanied the Russian raiders on [illegible] recent expedition planned to cut the [illegible]anese line of communication.


**PUTTING IT STRONG.**

**But Doesn't It Look Reasonable?**

This may read as though we were putting it a little strong, because it is generally thought by the majority of people that Dyspepsia in its chronic form is incurable or practically so. But we have long since shown that Dyspepsia is curable, nor is it such a difficult matter as at first appears.

[illegible] trouble with Dyspeptics is that [illegible] continually dieting, starving [illegible]r going to the opposite ex[illegible]e deluging the already over[illegible] stomach with "bitters" "after [illegible]" etc., which invariably in[illegible]fficulty even if in some cases [illegible]e a slight temporary relief. [illegible]ent of the stomach simply [illegible]s worse. What the stomach [illegible]st. Now how can the stom[illegible]ested, recuperated and at the [illegible] the body nourished and sus[illegible]

[illegible] great secret and this is also [illegible] of the uniform success of [illegible]spepsia Tablets. This is a [illegible]y new remedy but its suc[illegible]opularity leave no doubt as [illegible]

[illegible]ets will digest the food any[illegible]dless of condition of stomach. [illegible]rer from Dyspepsia, according [illegible]ions, is to eat an abundance of good, wholesome food and use the tablets before and after each meal and the result will be that the food will be digested no matter how bad your Dyspepsia may be, because, as before stated, the tablets will digest the food even if the stomach is wholly inactive. To illustrate our meaning plainly, if you take 1,800 grains of meat, eggs or ordinary food and place it in a temperature of 98 degrees, and put with it one of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets it will digest the meat or eggs almost as perfectly as if the meat was enclosed within the stomach.

The stomach may be ever so weak yet these tablets will perform the work of digestion and the body and brain will be properly nourished and at the same time a radical, lasting cure of Dyspepsia will be made because the much abused stomach will be given, to some extent, a much needed rest. Your druggist will tell you that of all the many remedies advertised to cure Dyspepsia none of them have given so complete and general satisfaction as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and not least in importance in these hard times is the fact that they are also the [illegible]apest and give the most good for the money.


## *Have You Received Any Gold Pieces From This Man? Police Say He Makes Them Himself and They Are Only Plated*



# ADOLPHUS BUSCH WANTS NEW BRIDGE

### He Says He May Carry Project Through Alone Unless Action Soon Is Taken.

### PLANNED FOR SOUTH SIDE

### Third Bridge Declared to Be Most Urgent Among Municipal Needs of St. Louis.

A revival of agitation for a third bridge across the Mississippi is impending and when it takes form its supporters say the bridge will be built without delay.

Adolphus Busch believes a third bridge in South St. Louis is the most urgent of the municipal needs of St. Louis. He intimated to a Post-Dispatch reporter Wednesday morning that he would be willing to build the bridge himself if no other solution was offered.

Mr. Busch says he will do his share and more in contributions and organization of capital for the new bridge, as he thinks it is badly needed, especially since terminal facilities are so congested in North St. Louis.

The third bridge problem was informally discussed recently by Mr. Busch and a party of city officials who dined with him at the Busch country place southwest of the city. Mayor Wells was in the party.

In answer as to what he thought St. Louis needed most, Mr. Busch mentioned the third bridge and gave his reasons. His guests agreed with him, but the matter has never been carried further.

"The trouble seems to be the lack of a leader," said Mr. Busch to a Post-Dispatch reporter Wednesdaw morning, "everyone agrees that it is a good thing, but nobody seems to want to get out and hustle for it.

"I am so firmly convinced that we must have a third bridge that I will carry the project through myself if some action isn't taken soon. As a large shipper, I know what it means to have good terminals.

"South St. Louis is the only logical location for additional terminals. The north side, from Washington avenue to the Merchant's bridge, is congested with tracks of about three roads. There is no room for more.

"On the South Side there are stretches of almost vacant land between the river and Broadway—room for more terminals than on the North side. Then the land across the river could be obtained at less cost than approaches could be bought further north.

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# EXPERTS AT THE PAGE TRIAL

### Campaign of Handwriting to Be Followed by Medical Witnesses for Defense.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 18.—Mabel Page's will was introduced by the defense in the Tucker murder trial today, two experts using it to illustrate their deduction that Miss Page wrote the "J. L. Morgan" address, found beside her body.

Col. Edwin B. Hey of Washington, a lawyer of high standing and at the same time a handwriting expert, also testified at great length for the defense.

The other witness of the day was Prof. Albert H. Pinman of Worcester, another chirographic authority.

One more handwriting expert will take the stand and then the medical witnesses for the defense will testify.


**COLDS CAUSE SORE THROAT**

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### New Friend Robbed Him.

Pat O'Brien, who lives at the Arcade Hotel, Sixth and Morgan streets, complained to the police Wednesday morning that he had been robbed of $65 by a man with whom he was drinking Tuesday night. O'Brien says he met an affable stranger, for whom he bought drinks. After midnight O'Brien and the stranger parted, but not until the stranger had embraced O'Brien while he bid him farewell. On the way home O'Brien missed the money which he says he had unwisely "flashed" before the stranger. He says the robbery was committed in a saloon in the vicinity of Sixth and Market streets.


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### Urged Repeal of Breeders' Law.

At the bi-monthly meeting of the Epworth League Union of St. Louis at Trinity M. E. Church, Tuesday night, a resolution was unanimously adopted urging the repeal of the breeders' law. Rev. Dr. Standard delivered an address on "Some Things to Do and Some Things to Do With." The banner for having the largest attendance was awarded for the third consecutive time to the Baden chapter. Joseph E. Pace, president [illegible], presided.

# POLICE SEEK WOMAN AS COUNTERFEITER

### Believed George Turner, Arrested in "Hop Alley," Had Accomplice in Stella Davis.

### CONVICTED OF CRIME ONCE

### Person Sought Was Pardoned From the Missouri Penitentiary Only a Few Months Ago.

George Turner, who was arrested Tuesday in "Hop alley" on a charge of counterfeiting, is believed to have a confederate in Stella Davis, who was released a few months ago from the Missouri penitentiary where she was serving a term for counterfeiting.

Police and secret service men are looking for the Davis woman, but have not found out where she is. Turner denies that he knows the Davis woman, although he admits knowing a woman named Stella.

Three years ago Charles and Stella Davis were arrested here for counterfeiting. The man was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary. The woman's term was set at four years. She was pardoned about four months ago.

Turner's preliminary hearing will take place before United States Commissioner Babbitt, Jan. 27.

Mrs. S. G. Cutter of 2330 Market street and Mrs. Charles G. Miller of 2624 Laclede avenue have identified Turner as the man who passed counterfeit $5 gold pieces on them.

Turner gave his address as 4468 Norfolk avenue. He has relatives living there, but they say he has not been there for several months. His brother, by whom he said he was employed, said he had not seen Turner for a long time.

# EXPLOSION'S NOISE CAUSES ILLNESS

### Sick Woman Suffers Critical Relapse After Gas Is Ignited in Basement.

Fright occasioned by the loud explosion of gas in the basement of her home, at 6614 Idaho avenue, has, it is feared, resulted seriously for Mrs. Thomas Nikodam.

Mrs. Nikodam was in her room on the second floor of the house at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening with her young infant when her husband went into the basement on an errand. He carried a lighted candle.

As he entered the basement there was a blinding flash and a terrific explosion which shattered the windows of the basement, broke plaster from the ceiling and shook the entire house.

Mrs. Nikodam sprang screaming from her bed. Her husband, who had been burned by the flash but not seriously hurt, and neighbors ran to her assistance and quieted her before attacking the flames which had burst out in the basement. The fire was soon extinguished and little damage was done to property; but Mrs. Nikodam suffered a serious relapse and is said to be in critical condition.

It is believed the explosion was caused by an accumulation of gas in the basement due to a leaking gas pipe.

# HOUSE APPROVES NIEDRINGHAUS PLAN

By a Staff Correspondent.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 18.—The House made short work this morning of the majority and minority reports of the Niedringhaus investigating committee. By a vote of 77 to 59 the minority report was voted down, and then by the same vote the majority report, exonerating Mr. Niedringhaus, was adopted.

There were no speeches, but the Democrats demanded a roll call on each proposition. Elliott of Jasper, who yesterday bolted the caucus and voted for Kerens, when his name was called today, said: "I don't want to vote."

Roach, however, who also voted against the caucus, voted with his party on both roll calls. This settles the Niedringhaus investigation so far as the House is concerned.


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# COURT TO REVIEW HEIMBURGER CASE

### Mayor Wells Ordered to Produce Records of His Trial of Building Commissioner.

### FURTHER ACTION ENJOINED

### On Application of Heimburger's Attorneys, Judge Kinsey Issues Writ of Certiorari.

Judge Kinsey, in the Circuit court, Wednesday morning granted an application for a writ of certiorari in the Heimburger case, and ordered that Mayor Wells produce in court on or before Jan. 28 a certified copy of the record of the trial of the building commissioner.

The order carries with it an injunction restraining the mayor from taking any further steps in the matter pending the hearing, or from appointing Heimburger's successor.

The application recites that the mayor proceeded irregularly in hearing the Heimburger trial, and that he exceeded his jurisdiction.

Mayor Wells sustained five of the six charges preferred by his private secretary, J. G. McConkey, against Building Commissioner George U. Heimburger, and removed him from office, as stated in late editions of the Post-Dispatch. A message to that effect was sent to the Council Tuesday night.

Deputy Commissioner James A. Smith will have charge of the building department until a successor to Mr. Heimburger is selected by the Council, or the Mayor's action is overruled by the courts.

The case of Building Commissioner George Reed, who was removed from office by Mayor Walbridge, and subsequently had the mayor's decision set aside in the courts is cited as a precedent by Mr. Heimburger's attorneys.

Reed's term of office had expired by the time he secured a favorable decision in the courts, but he obtained pay for the period between the date of his suspension and the expiration of his term. Building Commissioner Heimburger had two more years of his regular term to serve when suspended by Mayor Wells.

### Possible Succession.

Deputy Commissioner J. A. Smith, W. A. Smith, architect of the Mullanphy board; E. F. Holte, who was a candidate for the position when Mr. Heimburger secured the appointment, and other well known architects and builders have been mentioned as possible successors to Mr. Heimburger.

Mayor Wells says that Commissioner Heimburger's zeal on behalf of the city in entertaining suggestions for changes and modifications in plans and specifications already let would have been more commendable had the suggestions been made before bids were advertised for and the contracts let.

Mayor Wells sustained every charge brought against Mr. Heimburger with the exception of the one holding him responsible for the retention of an employe in his department guilty of reprehensible and officially dishonest conduct. The evidence failed to show that Commissioner Heimburger had ever been notified of the transaction on which the charge was based.

# VOICELESS CHILD HER ONLY SOLACE

### Death Which Took Suddenly Woman's Husband and Daughter, Now Takes Another.

Eight years have brought sad changes to Mrs. Emma Lipsier, who weeps today for her little daughter, Marguerite, who is dead from being burned Tuesday at her home, 2737 Olive street.

Eight years ago there was no happier home than hers. Her husband was a successful traveling salesman and they had three beautiful little daughters to whom they were devotedly attached. Now none is left except Mrs. Lispier and a daughter who is deaf and dumb.

Mrs. Lispier's husband was killed in a railroad wreck. Then sickness bereft one of the daughters of speech and hearing and another died. The deaf and dumb child was placed in an institute at Flint, Mich. to be educated, and Mrs. Lispier toiled for the support of herself and Marguerite.

It was thought at first that Marguerite was not fatally burned, as a result of pouring gasoline on a fire, but she succumbed to the shock at 6:30 Tuesday evening at the City Hospital, with her mother by her side.

Both at the time of the death of her husband and when her little daughter was fatally injured Mrs. Lipsier was oppressed by a presentiment that something was about to happen.

An inquest was begun Wednesday into the death of Marguerite.

# SENATE TELLERS ARE NAMED

### Gorman and Foraker Are Appointed to Count the Electoral Vote, on Feb. 8.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—President Pro Tem. Frye of the Senate today appointed Messrs. Foraker and Gorman as tellers on the part of the Senate to count the electoral vote on Feb. 8.

A bill authorizing the secretary of the interior to utilize Rhett river and other navigable streams on the Oregon and California boundary in connection with the arid land reclamation service, was passed.

# TEXAS BANK HAS FAILED.

### American National of Abilene Closes Its Doors and a Receiver Is Appointed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The comptroller of the currency today was advised by telegram that the officers of the American National Bank of Abilene, Tex., have closed the bank. R. L. VanZandt has been appointed receiver.

# BRAKEMAN REFUSED TO FIRE

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—W. G. Lee, vice-grand master of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, stated today that 95 per cent of 12,000 members of the union had voted to give the grievance committee authority to call a strike of the trainmen employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. if necessary to secure the repeal of the company's order making firing by brakemen compulsory. This is the main grievance of the trainmen.

## *Watch Out for This Woman Burglar*




# "NO PRICKLY QUILLS FOR US; BRING BACK OUR BEDS OF DOWN".

### Many Housewives Complain to Police of Men Hunting Germs With Microscopes Who Substituted Chicken for Goose Feathers and Arrests Follow.

Six men are under arrest at the North Market street police station on the charge of falsely representing themselves as health department inspectors for the purpose of securing 20 feather beds and, after securing them, substituting harsh, ticklish, unresilient chicken feathers for the soft, downy, resilient goose feathers which they contained.

All of the complainants are women. Several of them visited the Four Courts Wednesday and showed Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dalton samples of the goose feathers they had lost and the chicken feathers they had received. On their statements Dalton issued warrants charging larceny for George Battles of 1021 Wright street, George Powell of 1405 Warren street, Henry Daniels of 1437 Wright street, and Albert Edgett of 1437 Wright street.

These men were identified by the women. Henry Mackintosh and Charles O. Edgett of 1437 Wright street, who are also under arrest, are held for identification when similar warrants will be issued for them.

According to the police all North St. Louis has been "worked" during the past four months with a feather bed germ story. They say they expect hundreds of complaints.

The first and most vigorous complainant was Mrs. Conrad Bischof of 2236½ Dodier street, who caused the arrest of George Battles.

Mrs. Bischof, complaining to both the health department and the police, told this story of what happened:

"This man came to the house. He said he was an inspector for the health department, and that it was his business to look at all feather beds and be sure they did not contain any germs.

"I thought it was strange, but he showed a little microscope and a case with some bottles in it. And he said unless I let him look at the feather beds and be sure they did not contain any germs I would get into trouble.

"So I showed him a feather bed—O, such a fine one! He said, 'O, me! It is full of germs! It must be cleaned or there will be an epidemic!' He said the health department would stand some of the expense and he would soon return the bed.

### Goose Feathers All Gone.

"It was a beautiful bed, all fine goose feathers that were soft and warm and nice. And so big! It was hard to carry.

"And then it came back. It was not so big as a cradle bed. It was not soft. It was not warm. It was not anything. I opened the ticking and looked. My beautiful goose feathers were all gone.

"It was all little, mean, uncomfortable chicken feathers.

"I was so mad! I thought it was a bad way for the health department to do. So I asked them about it, and they said they didn't do it. They said the man was an impostor. They said they were not sending people around to look at feather beds. And so I told the police."

Mrs. Bischof was succeeded by a procession of complainants. Each told about the same story.

The "inspector" said he was from the health department on a still hunt for dangerous germs, and sought them in feather beds. He looked at the beds through his little pocket microscope, and brought out his little case of bottles by which he demonstrated the difference between "germ-y" feathers and germless feathers.

And he went away with the goose-feather beds and came back with chicken-feather beds.

"O, such a cheat!" said one of the complainants. "He took my bed—a great big one which my grandmother made. It was so big it could hardly be taken through the door; you had to get on each side of it—so!—and push it in—so!—to get it through the door. And when it came back—O, me! I should carry it under my arm!"

The men under arrest told the police they were employed as solicitors by a concern at 1903 Dodier street. The place at 1903 Dodier street was locked up and abandoned when a Post-Dispatch reporter visited it and neighbors said they did not know where the manager or proprietor could be found.

The complainants say the "inspectors" collected an average of 75 cents from each of them as charges for disinfecting the beds.

These are the owners of feather beds who make complaint against alleged bogus "inspectors": Mrs. Conrad Bischof, 2236½ Dodier street; Miss Bischof, 2236 Dodier street; Mrs. L. Bockstiegel, 2344 Dodier street; Mrs. G. Leuk, 2680 Hebert street; Mrs. Priesmeyer, 1414 North Market street; Mrs. J. Ressler, 2506 North Tenth street; Mrs. Eigenburg, 2100 Bremen avenue; Mrs. Smith, 2421 Blair avenue; Mrs. Dieters, 2504 North Tenth street; Mrs. Scheer, 2502 North Tenth street; Mrs. Moodestan, 2551 Hebert street; Mrs. H. Enger, 2541 University street; Mrs. H. Smith, 2508 Dodier street; Mrs. D. McGuire, 2521 University street; Mrs. L. Holz, 2511 Dodier street; Mrs. L. Dolmeyer, 2212 Dodier street; Mrs. Charles Rapp, 1801 Benton street; Mrs. James Annier, 1801 Benton street; Mrs. William Wollering, 1805 Benton street; Mrs. J. Eschmann, 2240 Dodier street.

There was one crumb of comfort to the complainants—they did not try to sleep on the chicken-feather beds.

"Sleep on such a bed? No," they cried indignantly. "It would be worse than sleeping on so many needles. The chicken feathers would stick through the ticking; and if they didn't scratch they would tickle, and we could not sleep."

Battles admitted Wednesday that he had posed as a health department inspector.

"I tried two weeks to get orders by telling the truth," he said, "and I couldn't get them. Then I began to say I was an inspector for the health department, and I got orders. I got all that I could handle. When complaints began to come in the proprietor remonstrated with me for the false pretense.

"I know nothing of the substitution of chicken feathers for goose feathers. If that was done I had no part in it. The only thing wrong that I did was to say I was an inspector when I was not, and I am willing to stand my punishment for that."

All the other men under arrest deny that they posed as health department inspectors, and the police say there is little evidence against them on that charge.


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# EYES FAIL RABBI SONNESCHEIN

### Former St. Louisan Relinquishes Work With Des Moines Congregation.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DES MOINES, Io., Jan. 18.—Rabbi S. H. Sonneschein has announced his retirement as the head of the B'Na Yeshurum congregation because of failing eyesight. Rabbi Sonneschein has been here several years but previously was located in St. Louis, where he was the head of several congregations. It is said that he can see with but one eye and that with difficulty.

# DEATH DUE TO ASPHYXIATION

### Coroner Decides Gas From Outside House Was Fatal to Man Sleeping Within.

Deputy Coroner Lloyd rendered a verdict of accidental death by asphyxiation at the inquest Wednesday morning on the death of George Sipple, who was found dead Sunday morning at his home, 2704 Chippewa street.

Sipple was sleeping on the first floor of his home and was killed by the gas which came into his room from a leak in a pipe outside the house.

# DULOHERY IS PROMOTED.

### Becomes General Western Passenger Agent of the Michigan Central.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 18.—Alfred Dulohery, city passenger agent of the Michigan Central, this city, was promoted today to be general western passenger agent of the same road, with headquarters at St. Louis, succeeding J. T. Whalen, who has been promoted to general agent and will be located in Chicago.

### JOIN MILLION CLUB IN BODY.

### South Broadway Merchants and Manufacturers Elect Officers.

Members of the South Broadway Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association joined the Million club in a body Tuesday night. At their meeting at Loebig's Hall, Broadway and Geyer avenue, the members advocated building a third bridge across the Mississippi.

The annual election of officers was held and the following elected: Ben Westus, president; Oscar R. Fries, first vice-president; Otto Buder, second vice-president; Louis E. Kaltwasser, secretary; Jacob Albrecht, treasurer; Max Rubenstein, sergeant-at-arms; trustees, Gus Nischwitz, Charles Bilharts and Moses Hartmann.

### GIRL DRAGGED IN RUNAWAY.

### Horse Not Used to Sleighbells Causes Accident.

Miss Minnie Selling is confined to her home in Kirkwood suffering from injuries sustained Sunday night in a runaway near Kirkwood, the sleigh in which she was riding striking a tree. She was driving and held to the reins, being dragged some distance.

Joe Evans, who accompanied her, was thrown nearly 20 feet, but escaped with only a few scratches.

The horse, unaccustomed to sleigh bells, became nervous, but was controlled until a shaft broke.

# GIRLS WORRIED BY HUNT FOR BURGLAR

### Carondelet Maids Are Afraid to Blush or Speak While Out of Doors.

### SWEET VOICED ONE SOUGHT

### Small Feet and Hands and Creamy Complexion "Clews" to Invader of House.

### "ETERNAL FEMININE" CHARACTERISTICS IN CARONDELET BURGLAR.

Blushing cheeks.
"White" complexion.
Face without indications of hair.
Large soft blue eyes.
Blond silky hair, cropped short.
Small nose.
Small teeth, regular and very white.
Small hips.
Voice [illegible] and low.
Small foot dainti[illegible] shod.
Short, mincing steps.
Height 5 feet 6 inches.
Weight 150 pounds.

Carondelet is curiously excited over the prospect that the "blushing burglar" who ransacked the home of Thomas Ducek of 2846 Neosho street Sunday evening is a young and handsome woman disguised in man's attire.

Police give credence to the statements of John Boltas and Charles Czerney of 4825 Pennsylvania avenue, who saw and spoke to the person, and their confidence being won by a voice of marvelous sweetness and dimpled blush of youth permitted the culprit to escape.

In consequence all the pretty girls in Carondelet are blushing now, for the police, acting on Boltas' description, peer suspiciously at every youthful face.

'Twas a woman's winsome wily way which won the day, they suspect.

Boltas and Czerney, who are relatives, were passing Ducek's home Sunday afternoon when the burglar emerged from the door. They knew that Ducek, who is related to them, had gone to an entertainment, taking his family with him. Immediately they suspected the dapper and graceful youth.

"What are you doing in Ducek's house?" Boltas asked, unconsciously supplying the burglar with the very name needed.

"I came to see Mr. Ducek," a voice replied.

The tone was rarely sweet, and a blush crimsoned the cheeks of the answerer.

"He has promised to find shop work for me," the burglar said, and church chimes were never more tuneful than those words.

Boltas and Czerney stood astonished. They fancied that they dreamed. Lorelei had spoken, and Aurora's blush crimsoned a cheek white as the snow beneath their feet.

Their trance lasted while the person lifted a derby hat and walked daintily away.

"I'll be doubly derned," said Boltas. "Sure, it's a darling duck," Czerney answered.

They were talking at their home when Mrs. Ducek ran over to their house.

"I've been robbed. The house is topsy turvy," she cried. Investigation proved that the burglar's work had been thorough, but that nothing had been carried away.

"By Heck, that was a woman," Boltas cried, and he and Czerney started at once to tell of the stranger whom they permitted to delude them.

But there was no "blushing burglar" to be found. The police have been equally unsuccessful in the search.

They fear that in some nearby house a handsome woman is laughing at them.

It's no laughing matter for the handsome girls of Carondelet. Among them are those who often blush and have voices sweet to hear. They don't want a policeman to glare suspiciously in their faces, for who wouldn't blush at that?

Then how can they speak without the voice which nature granted them?

"I'm sure that it was a woman who spoke to us, and who ransacked Ducek's home," says Boltas.

"She's a rare one. Nerve and wit alone saved the burglar. The voice and blush we saw seemed strange for a man, and the foot was too small and shapely for a man.

"A long black overcoat concealed most of the burglar's body."

# BILL OPPOSES BUSINESS TIPS

### Rhode Island Legislator Strikes at the "Graft" of the Purchasing Agent.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 18.—An "anti-graft bill" introduced in the Rhode Island Legislature by Representative Eddy is intended to prevent dishonest practices of agents and servants and those dealing with them. It has nothing to do with tips given to waiters, porters and the like, as some have construed it. It simply seeks to prevent the giving of secret commissions to both public and private servants for business transacted in behalf of the principal. For example, the purchasing agent of a manufacturing plant cannot, under this act, accept from the seller anything in the way of secret commission.

# BENEFITS OF UNPAID LICENSE

### Georgia Editor Points Out Advantage of Saloon Fees at $30,000 a Year.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WAYCROSS, Ga., Jan. 18.—John W. Greer, editor of the Journal, said today:

"For 16 years the city license for selling liquor has been $30,000. Each succeeding council fixes it. No change has ever been made, and no one has applied for privileges within that time.

"This tax was levied as prohibition and has been effective. Not only is the legal sale prohibited, but illegal selling is kept to the minimum, and four policemen keep perfect order in this town of 9300 people.

"Ninety per cent of the white people own their homes, there are no paupers, no poor houses, no loafers, and 95 per cent of the children attend school.

"The town supports 20 churches and all are well attended. Swearing is rarely heard on the streets, and one does not see a drunken man in three months. Two large railroad shops and one car factory are operated here, because the men are found to be more reliable than in liquor towns. These are some reasons why Waycross keeps the license at $30,000."

### Held for Smashing Gas Machine.

Roy Sanderson, 23 years old, arrested on the charge of robbing a quarter-in-the-slot gas machine, was bound over to the grandjury Wednesday by Justice McKane. The police say he admits having smashed the gas machine at the McCasland opera house on the evening of Dec. 31. Many of these machines have been robbed in East St. Louis recently.


Always Remember the Full Name Laxative Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days E. W. Grove [illegible]

# ROSSEAU REMAINS MYSTERY TO POLICE

**Investigation Reveals Nothing of Identity of Dynamiter of Statue.**

**DROPS HINTS AS TO AIDS**

**Describes Conduct on Dangerous Mission Near Arsenal in Washington.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—All efforts of the police to identify Gessler Rosseau, the man who has confessed that he attempted to blow up the statue of Frederick the Great in Washington with dynamite, and that he sent the box of dynamite to the steamship Umbria, have failed. He is still a mystery.

Inquiry to the police of the many cities where Rosseau has lived, has brought no information. They do not know him. They have, in some instances, found where he lived in those cities, but these reveal nothing. He always had sort of a workshop in his room, but explained nothing to his landlord, although he maintained an outward appearance of frankness.

As far as is known, he had no trade, yet he always paid his way and lived as a self-respecting mechanic would.

His hands are soft, "nonworkers'" hands, the police call them. Rosseau is as close-mouthed about his finances as he is about his name. When he was first arrested, there were mysterious hints in all of his talk that he had many friends and belonged to secret societies. Now he says he has no friends and belongs to no society. He never did say he belonged to a society, but he hinted that he did.

He still talks freely on his "America for Americans" theme and of his "work," he calls it, but says nothing more of the disappearance of Owen Kelley, the merchant, in connection with whose disappearance he was arrested.

When the talk turns on the attempt to blow up the statue of Frederick the Great he admits with the greatest unconcern that he made the attempt, and that the machine then on the table was intended to do what the other one had failed to do. When asked why he did it he exclaimed:

"We don't want any foreign statues here. Why should we have them in America?"

### Story of Explosion.

He tells in detail how he went to Washington with the sole intention of blowing up the statue and then getting away quickly. He approached Hazel, the hackman, and began to bargain with him to drive him to the Arsenal. Then he decided not to engage him, and pointing to another cab asked who drove that. Carter, the little colored man, stepped up, and was engaged. He drove Rosseau to a hotel, which he entered for a few minutes, leaving his infernal machine in the cab. Then he came out and re-entered the cab.

When they reached the statue he opened the door and told Carter to stop. He got out and walked around, looking at the statue until the time came for changing the guard. Then he hung his infernal machine on the railing, jumped into a cab and ordered Carter to drive away. When the explosion was heard Carter stopped the cab and Rosseau jumped out and ran away. He took a train immediately for Philadelphia.

When asked to explain why it was the bomb had failed to do its work he said he had put a lighted candle in it in order to give himself time to get away and that he supposed the candle had melted and run over the powder.

He determined to make a new infernal machine, he said, and this time to fix it up with a time fuse which would be set off by clockwork. This machine he completed Friday, when he was arrested. It is certainly a deadly machine, beautifully constructed, and there is space enough in it to hold 26 pounds of explosives. He made it in a cheap lodging house on Vine street, and this is the only

# Confessed Dynamiter, Man of Mystery, Who Tried to Blow Up the Steamship Umbria



GESSLER ROSSEAU.

place in which the police can discover that he ever stopped in Philadelphia.

### Mystery in Kelly Affair.

As to the Owen Kelly affair he is absolutely silent and most mysterious. He smiles gravely at the accusation that he wanted to swindle Patrick Kelly, brother-in-law of the missing man, out of $500 or to lure him to New York for the purpose of robbing him. By hints and intimations and a word dropped here and there he tries to have it believed that Kelly is being held in New York by some powerful influences, and that millions of dollars could not effect his release.

Capt. Donaghy tried persuasion on him, saying:

"Now, Rosseau, you have told us all about these other things; why not tell us all you know about Kelly? There is no desire to get you into trouble. We only want to relieve the anxiety of his relatives if we can."

Rosseau pondered for some time and then said:

"Some other time, perhaps, but not now. I must think it over."

And that is all he would say.

### "I Was Born in America."

Of who he is, where he comes from and of where he has been since the Umbria affair he will say nothing save "I am a farmer and was born in America. I love America."

With that single statement he shuts up like a clam. And his general appearance bears that statement out. He is not at all unlike a farmer, but he is well educated and has read much. One strange freak of his is that he says he selected the name Gessler after reading the story of William Tell, because, although Gessler was a tyrant, his character fascinated him. Likewise he says he selected Rosseau because he was fond of Rousseau's works.

He has traveled extensively over this country and has been in nearly every city of consequence. Where he gets his money he will not say. When arrested he had only $1.

In Chicago he went under the name of G. Russell for awhile, and he gave the same name several times in New York.

Detective Carey thinks the man is a patriotic crank, but perfectly sane on every other subject.

### Apes Other Criminals.

"I believe he got his Mafia idea from the 'barrel murder' case," he said. "You remember the letter he sent to Commissioner Greene started out with something like: 'Sir, the Mafia greets you.' It was just about that time that we were working on the 'barrel murder,' and the newspapers were full of the Mafia. The name he signed to the letter was like one that figured in that case. I hardly believe there is anyone mixed up with him or that he is connected with any society."

Capt. Donaghy is of the same opinion, but thinks there is a possibility he may know something about the missing Owen Kelly.

The "sweating" process will be kept up and it is hoped more will be learned from him. He will be taken to New York Friday as he can be prosecuted there for a felony, while in Washington the charge would be merely a misdemeanor.

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# BABY SCHANER

**RESTORED TO HEALTH BY VINOL AFTER EVERYTHING ELSE HAD FAILED.**


**Mrs. Schaner's Letter Published by Request of Wolff-Wilson Drug Co.**

Mrs. Schaner writes: "Our baby had been ill for months, was frail, sickly, and could not digest its food, and I want you to accept my sincere thanks for recommending Vinol. The effect was all we could hope for. After the first dose our baby commenced to retain its food, and since taking Vinol has gained 20 pounds. We consider this a remarkable record."

In talking to a gentleman Mr. Wolff of Wolff-Wilson Drug Co. assured him that this is only one of many cases that have come to his attention where Vinol has restored strength to children after everything else had failed, and in many cases actually saved lives.

"You know," continued Mr. Wolff, "Vinol is not a patent medicine, but a cod liver oil medicine which contains all the curative, strength creating elements of cod liver oil, but without a drop of oil. It is



BABY OF MRS. P. SCHANER.

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"In the strongest manner we unhesitatingly indorse and guarantee Vinol to increase the appetite, cure stomach trouble, give strength and renewed vitality to weak, puny children and the aged, build up the run-down, tired and debilitated, make the weak strong, cure chronic coughs and colds, or return every dollar paid for it.

"I just wish every mother in St. Louis who has a sick, puny, or ailing child, every old person and every run-down and debilitated person would try Vinol on our guarantee to give them back every cent they pay us for Vinol if it does not give entire satisfaction." Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Druggists.


# OLD CHINA FOR WHITE HOUSE

**Eight Pieces Formerly Used by Washington and Madison Returned.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Eight pieces of china used by Washington and Madison were added today to the White House collection. They were loaned by Mrs. James Bradley, a member of the D. A. R. In the Washington collection are an old rose English cut glass decanter and preserve dish of the willow pattern. The Madison pieces consist of two candelabra, used by Dolly Madison when she was mistress of the White House; a gravy boat and saucer and decorated cup and saucer of French make.


**$18.25 New Orleans and Return**
Via Illinois Central, Jan. 22 and 23, returning Jan. 28. Write C. C. McCarty, D. P. A., St. Louis, Mo., for particulars.


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# JEWELS ONLY A LOAN, SAYS HE

**"Not Much," Testifies Actress, Who Asserts She Was Engaged to Boton Man.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 18.—His love only a memory, William Gray Brooks, 55 years old, a member of the most exclusive circle in hub society, today testified in a suit for the recovery of jewels to the value of $5,000 from Miss Maude Poole, 24 years old, a dashing star in E. E. Rice's musical play, "The Merry Shop Girls." Brooks testified that the actress had borrowed the jewels, but this was flatly denied by the defendant, who said with emphasis that Brooks had given her the gems because they were engaged. The case was one of the most remarkable ever heard here, for there were only two witnesses—the principals in the suit. On their uncorroborated evidence the case will be decided when it goes to the jury.


**An Instant Success in St. Louis.**
The Loftis system of selling Diamonds and Watches on easy monthly payments is here to stay forever. Loftis Bros. & Co., 2d floor, 308 North Sixth street.


## News in Which Dan Cupid Has Been a Factor

### Game Keeper Shot by George J. Gould Marries Nurse Who Attended Him in Hospital.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Cupid finished the healing of the wounds of George Burns whom George J. Gould shot in the right eye on his estate in North Carolina on Nov. 15.

Burns was married on Jan. 10 to the woman who nursed him. The wedding took place at the Hotel Normandie in this city. The bride was Miss Henrietta Jocelyn Pierce, a nurse at the New York Eye and Ear Infirmary.

Mr. Gould mistook Burns, a gamekeeper, for game, and fired. The shot penetrated Burns right eye. He was hurried north on special trains, accompanied by Mr. Gould, and was attended at once by the foremost occulists in the city.

During Burns stay at the infirmary Miss Pierce had been the nurse in constant attendance on him. When the patient was discharged from the hospital, on Jan. 10, his pretty nurse also retired from her duties there and they were married at once. They have been spending the honeymoon at the hotel, but left today for North Carolina.

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### Wife Admits on Stand That She Loves Defendant in Alienation Suit Better Than Husband.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 18.—The crowning sensation in the Flinders-Bailey $25,000 alienation suit at Cherokee, occurred today when Bailey testified that Flinders had proposed a double divorce scheme. Flinders was to be divorced and marry his wife's cousin, and Bailey was to be divorced and marry Mrs. Flinders.

In the present suit Sam Flinders is suing Asa C. Bailey for alienating his wife's affections. Mrs. Flinders admitted upon the stand she likes Bailey better than her own husband, and Bailey asserted with evident pride that he and Mrs. Flinders had not only taken buggy rides together, but had made several trips to Minneapolis and Chicago and that each time Flinders declared himself pleased that his wife had the opportunity to escape the monotony of country life.

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### Attempt of Charles Cook to Wed Wealthy Widow Resisted by Latter's Children.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 18.—Anxious to marry a wealthy widow before her death, which is hourly expected, Charles Cook arrived at the home of his intended bride today, accompanied by a preacher, and armed with a license.

He found the doors of the house barricaded and the seven sons and daughters of his betrothed standing guard with firearms, prepared to resist his efforts to make their mother his wife.

Recently Mrs. Reed was taken seriously ill and when the doctors declared that she could not live Cook decided to marry her immediately. He has now engaged a lawyer and declares he will procure a writ of habeas corpus for his bride, the police declining to assist him.

Mrs. Reed is the owner of the Reed Hotel building, as well as her own home and other valuable property.

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### Young Man of Ideas, Who Fed "Breathlets" to Horse, Elopes With Millionaire Heiress.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 18.—Jesse Gould Day is a young man of ideas. His latest one, most successfully carried out, was to marry Miss Elizabeth Grant, daughter of a Philadelphia millionaire. The affair was an elopement to New York and with a midnight ceremony. His mother accompanied him.

As stated, Mr. Day has ideas. He formerly drove a high-wheeled dog-cart. On one occasion he detected an offensive odor in the breath of his horse. Forthwith he bought a box of violet "breathlets," which he mixed in the feed of the animal. Under the influence of this novel prescription the horse regained its normal breath to an extent which led him to run away with Day and wreck his cart.

### Crane Estate, $6171.

An inventory which has been filed in the Probate Court in the estate of Alba N. Crane, who for many years was president of the St. Louis Law Library Association, shows personal property amounting to $6161.19, divided as follows: Notes and interest, $777.50; accounts, $870; stocks, $[illegible]; cash, $[illegible], and goods and chattels, $[illegible].

## Some Foreign Briefs About Known People

### Brooklynite Objects to Whitelaw Reid on the Ground That He Is Too Much Pro-British.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A vigorous protest against the appointment of Whitelaw Ried to be ambassador to Great Britain, made by Francis Wayland Glen of Brooklyn, was communicated to the President today. Mr. Glen charges that Mr. Reid is so excessively intimate with the Canadian government that if given the place for which he is slated he will so shape the relations between the United States and England that they "will redound to the benefit of monarchial ideas and thoughts."

In support of the allegation that Mr. Reid has been identified with the Canadian government in a way that reflects upon his reputation as a loyal American citizen, Mr. Glen cites the President to charges along that line recently published in the Ottawa Evening Journal.

Mr. Glen says he wrote Mr. Reid he would gladly defend a libel suit and prove the allegations, and even put up money to guarantee the costs.

It is stated at the White House that the charges are not believed and that no attention will be paid to them.

Francis W. Glen is a real estate agent. He always has on tap theories and opinions on all subjects of moment, and is a "crank" to those who disagree with him, but not always so to those who agree with him.

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### "Jim" Guffey Has Reputation in Oklahoma as a Builder of Methodist Churches.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 18.—Rev. John T. Reilly, presiding elder of the Oklahoma district of the Methodist Church, who is in Pittsburg today, said:

"'Jim' Guffey of this city has helped to build more Methodist churches in the Oklahoma conference of Oklahoma Territory than any other living man. Last year he assisted in building five; this year he will build five more, and he has been helping build Methodist churches in that vicinity ever since I went there nine years ago."

All that is necessary to build a church is $250, to buy shingles, glass, doors, flooring and ceiling. The congregation constructs the church and furniture out of raw material at hand.

Col. Guffey is Democratic national committeeman for Pennsylvania. He has been giving Dr. Reilly $1250 a year to erect five churches annually.

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### Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Who Will Retire Lands a Good Berth.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Robert B. Armstrong, assistant secretary of the United States treasury, who will retire from office in March, is to become president of the Casualty Company of America. There has been a good deal of competition among financial institutions in Wall street to secure the services of Mr. Armstrong. The Casualty Company of America has made a long-term contract with him.

# ONE MILLION SURE WITH NATURAL GAS

**Prediction of St. Louis Attaining Its Desired Population With Its Introduction Here.**

**PROMOTERS ARE CONFIDENT**

**Intend to Pipe the Gas to City From Bartlesville, I. T., at Cost of $12,000,000.**

People who are complaining of excessive gas bills and there are a great many of these since the gas company began installing new meters—should have heard the enthusiastic remarks of the Kansas natural gas men before the Council ways and means committee.

The natural gas men are confident of their ability to pipe gas from the Southwestern Kansas fields into St. Louis and dispose of it here for one-half the cost of the manufactured article. A company in which A. C. Stewart of the St. Louis Union Trust Co. is interested seeks a franchise allowing the construction of mains throughout St. Louis for the purpose of distributing the gas to consumers.

James H. Arnold, a Kansas City banker, and one of the chief promoters of the new company, predicted that the population of St. Louis would be increased 100 per cent in five years if the natural gas was introduced here.

State Senator Carpenter of Kansas told the committee some interesting facts concerning the natural gas district which is to be tapped for the benefit of St. Louis.

"Natural gas is so plentiful there," said Mr. Carpenter, "that it is distributed free of charge by many cities to manufacturers who will locate there. Not a stick of wood or pound of coal has ever been used for heating or power-producing purposes in my country since natural gas came into general use.

"Meters are never used in measuring the gas. Consumers pay according to the number of rooms in their houses. The pressure is very strong. I have no doubt that there is enough natural gas in the Southwestern Kansas district alone to supply St. Louis with all the heat, illumination and power it needs for the next 50 years.

The natural gas men intend to pipe their product direct into St. Louis from Bartlesville, I. T. If the pressure is not strong enough to carry the gas all the way, pumping stations will be erected along the route. It is proposed to build a 20-inch main on air line from Bartlesville to St. Louis, a distance of 300 miles. It will take a total outlay of $12,000,000 to build the pipe line and distribution mains in St. Louis.

Messrs. Arnold and Carpenter say natural gas has superior heating and illuminating power over the manufactured article. In fact Mr. Arnold states that it will take twice as much manufactured gas to furnish the same amount of heat and power of natural gas. The cost of the latter will be less than one-half the charge of manufactured gas, which ranges from 90 cents per 1000 cubic feet to $1.10 per 1000 cubic feet. The fuel gas costs 90 cents and the illuminating gas $1.10.

The natural gas men impressed everybody with the entire plausibility of their plans. Benjamin Schnurmacher represented the Laclede Gas Light Co at the hearing. He said that he had several suggestions to offer the committee concerning the franchise sought for by the natural gas men. The Laclede company is the only gas concern now operating in St. Louis.

# MONTE CARLO FOR THE CUBANS

**"Billy" Burbridge, Who Sold New York Place for $61,000, Getting Beyond Jerome's Reach.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—With $61,000 of Fred Walbaum's money in his inside pockets, "Billy" Burbridge, for years the partner of Frank Farral, Fred Walbaum and "Jim" Kennedy in their gambling enterprises, is now on shipboard, where invitations to District Attorney Jerome's office cannot reach him. Burbridge's destination is Havana, Cuba, and he is accompanied on his trip by six of the best-known faro bank dealers and roulette spinners in the gambling business. Burbridge intends to open a "Monte Carlo" in or near Havana.

One of the men with him is "Doc" Seaton, who has been known as the best of faro bank dealers in the tenderloin for 25 years. Another of Burbridge's men is "Jack" Cassidy, one of the best wheelmen in the business. The others are Western dealers, who will assist the "Doctor" and Cassidy to gather the money of the Cubans.

Three weeks ago Burbridge sold his entire interest in the gambling places for $61,000 to Walbaum. When the sale was made gamblers were not being molested, and Walbaum believed he had a bargain. Now he finds that Burbridge was wiser than he.

# DYNAMITE EXPLODES IN WAGON

**Two Wrokmen Are Killed and Four Injured in Wreck Caused by Jolting.**

BEDFORD, Ind., Jan. 18.—By an explosion of dynamite one mile east of here last night two men were killed and four injured. The dead:

WILLIAMS JENKINS, Bedford.
WILLIAM GARRETT, Golitic.

The men who were employes of the Central Union Telephone Co., were returning home from their work in a wagon into which they had loaded the dynamite, explosion cap and tools. The jarring of the wagon caused the explosion of the caps.

### Democratic Clubs to Consolidate.

A meeting of the Democrats of the Twenty-seventh ward will be held at O'Connell's Hall, Marcus and Easton avenues, tonight to make arrangements for the spring campaign. In order to heal factional differences and promote harmony, the various Democratic clubs of the ward will be consolidated into one organization, and every effort will be made to bring out the full strength of the party at the coming election. Every Democrat in the ward is requested to be present.

OCTOROON WHO SEEKS TO RETAIN MAN'S GIFTS.



HANNAH ELIAS.

# GAY OLD MR. PLATT CHANGES HIS MIND

**New Yorker Who Is Suing Octoroon for Gifts, Is Badly Twisted by Lawyers.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan 18.—It was a feeble old man of 84 who took the stand as his own witness in the odorous case of John H. Platt against Hannah Elias, an octoroon, whom he is suing for the return of $685,000. When Magistrate Ommen heard the old man's story some months ago to learn whether it was sufficient evidence for a criminal proceeding, there was such a pitiful showing of senile helplessness that the matter was dismissed.

When the civil proceedings were taken up yesterday the old man seemed to have recovered much of his memory. He told a very convincing story of the way in which Hannah Elias has bound him with her fascination and extracted large sums of money from him at intervals throughout a period of nine years. But under the persuasive questioning of Ex-Gov. Black, who appeared for the woman, he became a still better witness for his defense.

When his counsel asked him: "Why did you give her these large sums of money?" The old man replied: "Because I was afraid the fact of our intimacy would get to the public," but when Ex-Gov. Black had got him to thinking of himself as a gay young fellow who had never been afraid of anything, the aged witness declared stoutly that he had never been afraid that the woman would betray him, and that he had given her the money merely because he wanted to save her from her persecutors.

It was only a step then for him to declare that he had never wanted to bring suit against her, and never would have done so if he had not been forced to it by his brother and "another relative."

### To Establish Branch Store.

The Simmons Hardware Co. is to have a branch at Sioux City, Io., from which to handle northwestern business. The business of the Baker Hardware Co. of that city has been purchased by the St. Louis firm.

# SOCIALISM VIEWS BAR IMMIGRANTS

**William Bishop of England, Skilled Mechanic, Appeals From the Decision of Port Officers.**

**NOT AN ADVOCATE OF FORCE**

**Deportation Order Under "Public Charge" Clause Revoked at Second Hearing of Case.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—William Bishop of Oxford, England, boiler maker and secretary of the Socialist Labor party of England, who on Monday was barred from the country as likely to become a public charge, has been given a rehearing. This time Bishop was ordered excluded because his replies to two of the questions indicated that he believed in the overthrow of officials by force.

Bishop has appealed to Washington. His lawyer will contend that all of his previous testimony was against the use of force.

It was found that the claim that Bishop, who is very intelligent, was likely to become a public charge, could not be sustained, as the boiler maker has $22 and friends, and is skillful.

Bishop, while admitting that he was a Socialist, said positively that he would never advocate force in changing the form of the government or in removing officials from office.

"Would you, if ordered to remove a public officer, accept compensation for doing so?" asked Inspector Ryan.

"I would not accept a bribe from any source," Bishop answered.

From this point all reports of the cross-questioning mix up and the official stenographer's report is equally blind, for though no question is asked, there is recorded this answer, "Yes, voluntarily, if necessary."

Further questions brought answers which led the examiners to order him deported.

The friends of Mr. Bishop in the Socialist Labor party claim that he was discriminated against because of his views on the labor question.

In England Mr. Bishop earned good wages and was employed up to four days before leaving for this country.

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# MRS. CHADWICK EXPECTS BAIL

**Cleveland Woman's Attorney Says She Will Soon Join Her Husband at Old Home.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 18.—Judge Wing of the United States Circuit Court has fixed the bond on five indictments against Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick at $20,000 in response to a request from Attorney J. P. Dawley. Mr. Dawley says his client will give this bail at once.

This would release Mrs. Chadwick on the federal charges. There are, however, three other indictments against her in the Cuyahoga County courts. Mr. Dawley said that he would at once ask the state courts to fix the amount of bail and that bail would be furnished as soon as the sum is fixed.

Mrs. Dawley said he thought Mrs. Chadwick would go to the Chadwick home on Euclid avenue, where Dr. Chadwick has been living since his release on bail.


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THE NEXT STORY WILL BE
**Benedicta, the Medium's Apprentice**
BEGINS NEXT MONDAY IN THE
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# NEED FOR BETTER TERMINALS URGENT

## In Annual Report Business Men's League Urges Railroad Improvements.

## WALBRIDGE IS RE-ELECTED

### After Recounting Plans for Year Committees Say St. Louis Progress Alarms Rival Cities.

Indications point to a substantial increase in business in 1905 over 1904, rather than depression following the World's Fair, according to reports at the annual banquet and meeting of the Business Men's League at the Mercantile Club Tuesday night.

Officers were elected following the reports of committees.

In the report of the executive committee three special recommendations are urged. The committee declares St. Louis must have better freight terminals.

A lower water rate for manufactures is urged.

The committee also favors a permanent convention hall and armory, declaring it to be absolutely necessary.

The report of the treasurer, Walker Hill, shows a balance on hand Jan. 3, 1905, of $23,247.87.

Cyrus P. Walbridge was unanimously elected to serve a fifth successive term as president of the league. He was nominated by David R. Francis, the nomination receiving many seconds.

Other officers were elected as follows: First vice-president, James E. Smith; second vice-president, Corwin H. Spencer; third vice-president, Otto L. Teichmann; fourth vice-president, Oscar L. Whitelaw; fifth vice-president, W. K. Kavanaugh.

### Executive Committee Named.

Ballots were cast for the election of a new executive committee of 24 members. The result will be announced Wednesday.

The following committees, through the chairmen named, made reports: Commerce and manufactures, Edward Devoy; conventions and entertainments, Nathan Frank; programs, J. J. Wertheimer; real estate and taxation, W. J. Holbrook; insurance, H. M. Blossom; national legislation, Ben Schnurmacher; municipal legislation, T. S. McPheeters; postoffice, Geo. D. Markham; publication, C. B. Smith; river improvement, W. K. Kavanaugh; finances, John E. Pilcher, and chairman of St. Louis traffic bureau, W. P. Kennett.

These committee reports brought out the following facts:

Net gains in manufactures in St. Louis in 1904 was 101 plants, with a new capitalization of $11,615,500.

Over 300 conventions in St. Louis in 1905.

Municipal Assembly is urged to pass a bill relieving all manufactures which locate in St. Louis in future from taxation for a period of 10 years.

Reduction of direct taxation is advocated but continuance of improvements with bond issues which future generations will assist in paying.

Arbitration treaties with other nations are favored.

Although there was an increase of over one-fourth in postal business during 1904, the service was good.

The issuance of a book setting out commercial advantages of St. Louis is urged.

There will be no river and harbor appropriation by present Congress, but there is money on hand to continue the work on the Mississippi.

The expansion of St. Louis trade was so great during 1904 that many organizations were formed by other cities in an effort to prevent further extension in territories previously held by those cities.

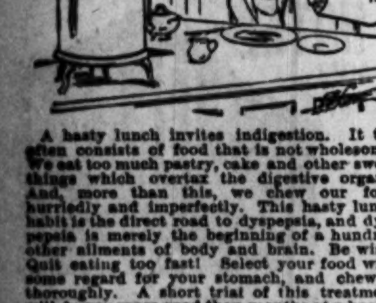
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### Strikers Charged With Assault.

Joseph Sommer of 1608 Blair avenue, Michael Litka of 1210 Chouteau avenue, William Verwold of 2514 North Tenth street and Henry Siegel of 1614 Franklin avenue were arrested Tuesday afternoon, charged with assaulting employes of the P. Murphy Trunk Co. Monday evening. The men are all trunkmakers and went out on strike with other employes about a month ago, their places being filled by the men whom they are charged with having assaulted.


# DYSPEPSIA

## Its Cause and How to Cure It.



A hasty lunch invites indigestion. It too often consists of food that is not wholesome. We eat too much pastry, cake and other sweet things which overtax the digestive organs. And, more than this, we chew our food hurriedly and imperfectly. This hasty lunch habit is the direct road to dyspepsia, and dyspepsia is merely the beginning of a hundred other ailments of body and brain. Be wise! Quit eating too fast! Select your food with some regard for your stomach, and chew it thoroughly. A short trial of this treatment will do you more good than months at a health resort, and cost a great deal less. You will eat better, sleep better and feel better. If you are already a victim of dyspepsia (commonly known as indigestion or stomach trouble)

**Eupepsia TABLETS**

Is the one remedy that will cure you—absolutely and permanently. Follow the advice given above as to diet, and before each meal take a EUPEPSIA TABLET to strengthen the stomach and aid digestion. Eupepsia Tablets contain nature's great restorative for the digestive organs; they actually build up the stomach anew. Old chronic cases of dyspepsia yield quickly to their powerful rejuvenating influence. Eupepsia Tablets are a Godsend to dyspeptics. They offer those poor, suffering victims more comfort, contentment and peace of mind than they have enjoyed since they first departed from the ways of health and sound digestion.

ARTHUR E. LANG, representing Fahren Becker Co., St. Louis, in Oklahoma and Indian Territory, writes:

"For some years I have been troubled with indigestion and have tried all well-known and advertised remedies. A friend of mine recommended Eupepsia Tablets, and one box effected a complete cure. I always carry a package in my travels to give to my friends."

NOTE.—We have hundreds of other letters, some admitting cures of thirty years' standing. We will forfeit $100.00 if we cannot prove the genuineness of every letter we publish. EUPEPSIA TABLETS are not offered as a cure-all, but they will cure dyspepsia, and are sold by every good druggist or sent direct for 50 cents. ... [illegible]


# ONE LEGGED MEN'S EVENTFUL DAY GIVES POST-DISPATCH ARTIST IDEAS

## Burglar Loses Wooden Leg—Dog Bite of Cork Extremity Promises to Prove Costly.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 18.—These are nervous days and insomnia-producing nights for the one-legged population of Memphis and vicinity. A revised adaption, by the city detective department, of the old saw, "if the shoe fits you wear it," is causing the trouble.

Here's the idea.

Last Saturday night the record freak




robbery of the state occurred, when a one-legged man broke a window and entered the pawn office of Max Brody. It is evident that the burglar was frightened in the midst of his operations, and in his haste to get out of the place "shipped" his cork leg and left it behind, though according to the proprietor, he managed to carry away nearly everything else of value in the place.

Brody kept the leg in a safety deposit vault, hoping that the owner would call for it and allow himself to be arrested.

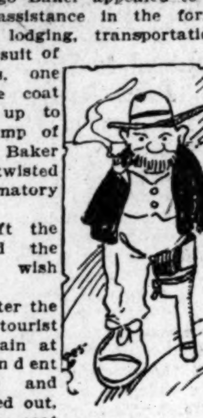
The latter part of this idea evidently occurred to the robber as he never put in any claim for the cork auxiliary to his transportation department.

Detetives have been put on the case and the officer in charge says he will arrest every "single footer" in Memphis but what he finds the man on whom the cork pedal extremity will fit.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 18.—The hope expressed by Superintendent Stern of the local charity board five years ago to Emanuel Baker, collector of the living the world owes him, that "your shadow may never grow less," has fallen far short of fulfillment.

Five years ago Baker appealed to Stern and received assistance in the form of several days' lodging, transportation to Denver and a suit of warm clothes, one sleeve of the coat being sewed up to cover the stump of an arm which Baker said had been twisted off by inflammatory rheumatism.



As Baker left the charity board the above quoted wish followed him.

Two years later the freight train tourist showed up again at Superintendent Stern's office and was again fitted out, this time with a coat with two defective sleeves, his other arm having been interred in the back yard of a Leadville hospital.

Yesterday afternoon the clatter of a hickory stump on the tile floor of Superintendent Stern's office caused him to look up and into the well-known features of Baker from whom Dame Fortune had made another subtraction in the form of a leg.

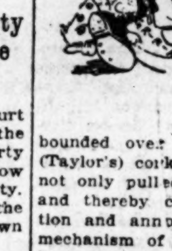
"Failed to get it out from under the front trucks of a box car," was Baker's reply to the superintendent's inquiring look. Baker was fitted out with what little clothes he still required and given transportation to Des Moines.

"Well, Mr. Stern," he said in leaving, "I have got one more coupon and when the sawbones clip that off I guess they can put the rest of me in a soap box and lay me away for good."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

OLDTOWN, Me., Jan. 18.—Ten thousand dollars is a rather expensive balm for a dog bite under normal conditions, but Edmond D. Mazure of this city of whom the amount has been asked figures it entirely too much in view of the fact that the bite in question was taken out of a cork leg.

Arthus G. Taylor, an elderly real estate man of this place, is the man who was bitten, or rather the man whose leg was bitten and who has brought suit for the $10,00 damages in the Circuit court.




Taylor's complaint alleges that while walking past Mazure's residence last October and carrying a cane under his arm, he turned to look behind him, and as he did so the cane clattered along Mazure's picket fence and aroused the latter's brindle bull dog which bounded over the fence and siezed his (Taylor's) cork leg in a vice-like grip and not only pulled it loose from the wearer, and thereby caused him great mortification and annoyance, but so crushed the mechanism of the ankle as to make the limb unfit for further use.

The plaintiff alleges that while the dog-bitten limb was almost as good as a natural one he has thus far been unable to replace it, the other limbs that he has tried failing to work with anything like the satisfaction of the old one, and that as a result of the loss of time from his business, his physical suffering, and great mortification, he has been damaged to the extent of $10,000.

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# ICY WALKS BRING 500 INTO COURT

## Many Excuses Given by Property Owners Cause Smiles in Judge Tracy's Court.

Judge Tracy of the City Hall police court heard testimony Wednesday morning in the cases of several hundred St. Louis property owners who failed to remove ice and snow from sidewalks in front of their property. Among the defendants were men at the heads of some of the best-known downtown firms.

Excuses were freely given and in some cases caused smiles on the usually placid countenance of the court. One man insisted it would have been impossible to remove the ice from his sidewalk without dynamite, and that even then he would have complied with the order had it not been that he lived near a school, and was afraid some of the children would be injured in the explosion.

The citations to appear in police court were issued in nearly 500 cases, and were made only after the police had given three warnings. Chief Kiely notified all policemen to give warning to property owners the first morning following the snow. This was followed a day later by a second warning. Monday the last warning was issued. Then each patrolman was instructed to furnish the names of those who had failed to comply.

The First, Fifth, Sixth, Ninth, Tenth and Mounted districts reported no cases. The Second district reported 200, while the Fourth and Central each reported 50. There were 125 in the Seventh and 25 in the Eighth.

Among the cases reported were City Hospital, Dispensary, City Hall, courthouse and Four Courts. A resolution was adopted by the House of Delegates Tuesday night directing Chief Kiely to look after the cleaning of sidewalks surrounding city property.

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## FIRMS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

### C. A. Stix Is Named to Head Dry Goods Company.

C. A. Stix was elected president, Julius Baer vice-president, Aaron Fuller second vice-president, and S. Baer secretary of the Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co., Tuesday. The four officers constitute the board of directors.

Cecil D. Gregg, president; Andrew Spriule, vice-president; Benjamin W. Clark, Frederick Vierling and Isaac H. Orr were elected directors by the Evans & Howard Fire Brick Co. George W. Jones was re-elected secretary.

At the annual meetings of the Union Dairy Co. and the Bridge & Beach Manufacturing Co. no changes were made in the boards of directors.

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### Celebrate by a Smoker.

Members of the St. Louis Electrical Contractors' Association celebrated the close of a prosperous season by a smoker in the clubrooms Tuesday night. The entertainment contained enough variety to please every one, and the program was interesting from the time Toastmaster R. Roegtell made his address until the last song was finished. Pike reminiscences and song formed an informal part of the entertainment, J. Saunders and C. Baumgartner distinguishing themselves. Among those present were: H. C. Henley, J. Fenton, W. Moore, J. Casey, C. J. Sutter, J. Saunders, F. Adams, W. Stocke, C. Kuhn, C. Baumgartner, J. Masson, W. Brodedick, W. R. Williams, E. C. Van Norte, F. E. Newberry, W. Coerao, A. Wolfram, A. Boeschenstein, S. Van Norte, W. Koenermann, W. Glastette, E. Haas, E. Stocke, A. Robinson, W. Garner and A. S. Dox...


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## SENATOR KINNEY COMMENDED

### Ministers Pleased With His Compulsory Education Bill.

Ministers and educators publicly commended Senator Thomas E. Kinney Tuesday night at the Y. M. C. A. building for his support of the compulsory education movement in Missouri. The following resolutions were adopted and will be sent to Senator Kinney:

"The committee appointed at a meeting held in St. Louis, Jan. 17, 1905, desires to express its gratification that you have presented a bill to the Senate in favor of compulsory education and hope that you will continue to give it your cordial support and may carry it to a successful issue, and of our desire to co-operate."

Among the speakers was James M. Dawson, city jailor; Rev. G. R. Dodson, E. M. Grossman and F. M. Crunden.

### Steamship Movements.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Arrived: Finland and Dover, Ryndall, Rotterdam and Boulogne. Sailed: Georgic, Liverpool; Carpathia, Naples and Genoa; Kron Prinz Wilhelm, Bremen, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 16.—Arrived: Prinzessin Victoria Luise, New York (on West Indian cruise).




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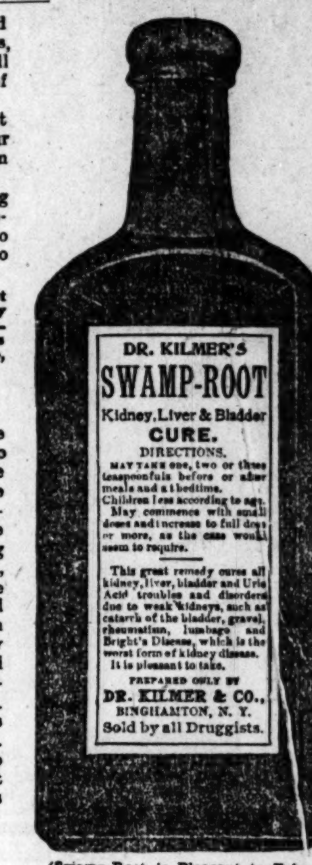
Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected, and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking the great kidney remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, because as soon as your kidneys begin to get better they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

**I cheerfully recommend and indorse the Great Remedy, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, for kidney trouble and bad liver. I have used it and derived great benefit from it. I believe it has cured me entirely of kidney and liver trouble, from which I suffered terribly.**
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Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for many kinds of diseases, and if permitted to continue much suffering and fatal results are sure to follow. Kidney trouble irritates the nerves, makes you dizzy, restless, sleepless and irritable. Makes you pass water often during the day and obliges you to get up many times during the night. Unhealthy kidneys cause rheumatism, gravel, catarrh of the bladder, pain or dull ache in the back, joints and muscles; make your head ache and back ache, cause indigestion, stomach and liver trouble, you get a sallow, yellow complexion, make you feel as though you had heart trouble; you may have plenty of ambition, but no strength; get weak and waste away.

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If there is any doubt in your mind as to your condition, take from your urine on rising about four ounces, place it in a glass or bottle and let it stand twenty-four hours. If on examination it is milky or cloudy, if there is a brick-dust settling, or if small particles float about in it, your kidneys are in need of immediate attention.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the [illegible] Telephone Co. will be held at the offices of said company, on the 10th floor of the Century bldg., northwest corner of 9th and Olive sts., in the city of St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, Jan. [illegible], 1905, for the purpose of electing thirteen (13) directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before ... polls open from 9 a. m. to 12 m.
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It is easy to cure any form of kidney trouble with Doan's Kidney Pills before it reaches a fatal stage, and there are many symptoms to tell you when you have kidney disorders.

The most common of these symptoms are:

Pain in the small of the back, hips, or sides; pain when stooping or lifting.

Headaches and dizzy spells.

Nervousness, languor.

Too copious or too scanty discharges of urine.

Thick, cloudy, discolored and ...smelling urine, with deposits ...ediment.

Having to get out of bed at ... to pass urine, etc.

... carries the urinous waste to ... the body. It gets into the ... and causes neuralgia or ...ets into the muscles and ...atic pains and gout; it ... the lungs and irritates the ...art, causing the heart to flutter and palpitate; it crystallizes into gravel and stones in the bladder and kidneys.

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# RAILROADS ALL JOIN TO FIGHT THE RATE LAW

**Presidents of Systems Will Form Offensive Alliance and Their Full Strength Is to Be Exerted Against President.**

**OFFICIALS HAVE HELD SEVERAL CONFERENCES**

**President Ripley of Santa Fe Hurries to New York to Explain Rebate Grants to Directors at Meeting.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Twenty-nine railroad systems, comprising practically every railroad in the country, are being merged into a concrete unit for the specific purpose of overcoming legislation at Washington which would throw the power of fixing rates into the hands of the federal government.

The alliance is to be offensive and defensive, but owing to the nature of combat which the policy of President Roosevelt has created, it will be largely offensive.

Samuel Spencer, president of the Southern Railway system; A. J. Cassat, president of the Pennsylvania system, and President Johnson of the Norfolk & Western road, control of which is held by the New York Central system, are here for the purpose, it was said, of meeting other railway officials and conferring with them on a plan of action.

### Meetings Already Held.

Though Samuel Spencer said today that no conference on the rate question was necessary, the president of one of the largest and most powerful railroad systems in the country admitted that several conferences of railroad officials have been held, at which the government's attitude on the rate question was the one subject discussed. Other conferences of the same kind, he said, are to take place in the near future.

Today there will be a meeting of the directors of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe road in this city. President Ripley of the Santa Fe has been summoned from Chicago to attend the meeting, which will be presided over by Victor Morametz, chairman of the executive board.

This will be the first meeting attended by President Ripley since the revelations showing that the Santa Fe had granted rebates to the Colorado Fuel and Iron Co. on coal shipments. Though it was declared today by officers of the Santa Fe that today's meeting was simply a regular meeting, it is known that the rebate matter will be gone into most exhaustively and that President Ripley will be called upon to explain to his brother officals every phase of the matter.

### Busy Individual Antagonisms.

The determination of the railroad companies to act as a unit in the fight to prevent the legislation has already buried some of the individual antagonisms which have existed for a long time between presidents of different systems. The fact that Samuel Spencer of the Southern and A. J. Cassatt of the Pennsylvania came here together was of itself regarded as significant, as the two railway presidents have for a long time held antagonistic views on many railway matters.

The combined power of the railways of the country in Washington is held to be greater than that of any other combination of interests. With all of their energy and power concentrated upon a single purpose, they are counted upon to make a fight that will test the strength of President Roosevelt.

J. Pierpont Morgan, who has been absent from his office since Friday last, will be down town today, and is expected to take an active part in shaping the contest to be waged against government control of railroad rates.

# NEWPORT SOCIAL LEADER DEAD

**Attack of Heart Trouble Fatal to Mrs. Ledyard, Wife of Yachtsman.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Mrs. Lewis Cass Ledyard of this city and Newport is dead at her residence here from heart disease. She was the wife of the well-known yachtsman and former commodore of the New York Yacht Club. Mrs. Ledyard was one of the leaders in New York and Newport society. She was the daughter of Col. William E. Prince, United States army.

# CAMPAIGN TREASURER RESTING

**George Foster Peabody's Health Gives Way Under Strain of Democratic Finances.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—George Foster Peabody, banker and treasurer of the Democratic National committee, is reported to have broken down physically, and is now at his farm in Northern New York. He is not seriously ill, it is stated, but the physicians have ordered him to take a long rest and a change of scene.

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### Mendelssohn Election.

The fifteenth annual meeting of the Mendelssohn musical society was held Monday evening at its new quarters, Jefferson and Park avenues. August Boette will continue as director of the orchestra, which now numbers 40 young men. The last season was reported as successful. The following officers were elected: President, A. H. Heitkamp; vice-president, H. B. Beatty; secretary, Augustus W. Abe; financial secretary, E. H. Placht; treasurer, Harvey G. Turley; executive committee, E. A. Kuhn and Albert Goetz; chairman music committee, J. F. Withers; membership committee, George Hoffman; arrangement committee, L. E. Wallhaus; hall committee, B. Thole.

### Dental Society Dinner.

The annual dinner of the Fraternal Dental Society was given at the Jefferson Hotel Tuesday night, about 30 guests being present. Dr. Burton L. Thorpe presided. The speakers were: Dr. E. E. Haverstick, Dr. George A. Bowman, Dr. Sam T. Bassett, Dr. B. H. Voyles, Dr. D. M. Le Cron, Dr. S. C. A. Rubey, Dr. Edward H. Angle, Dr. William Conrad and Dr. E. P. Dameron.

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# FAIR STATUES FOR COURT OF HONOR

**More Than 100 Pieces to Be Taken to Washington for the Inaugural Ceremonies.**

One hundred and forty-three pieces of statuary, valued at $14,050, that adorned the World's Fair grounds, have been presented to the inaugural committee and will be taken to Washington for use at the inaugural ceremonies.

The statues were turned over to Edwin T. Bates, assistant custodian of the Government building at the Fair, and the local representatives of the inaugural committee, Monday.

The pieces include portrait statues of Andrew Jackson, Robert Livingston, James Monroe, George Rogers Clark, Anthony Wayne, Bienville, LaSalle, Narvaez and Marbois.

The miscellaneous statues include Gobelins, four figures in portico of Liberal Arts building, four from the colonnade of the Mines and Metallurgy, fifty urns from around the Varied Industries building, fifty urns from the bridges, six urns in the colonnade of the Mines and Metallurgy building, four lions and four radiant female heads on the roof of the Liberal Arts building, four gold eagles from the east wing of the colonnade of states and two shields from the Manufacturers' building.

The statuary will form a court of honor along Pennsylvania avenue in the blocks occupied by the government buildings and each piece will bear the inscription "Presented with compliments of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, Mo., 1904."

The statuary will remain in Washington and will be preserved in the parks, except the statue of James Monroe, which will go to the University of Virginia.


**$18.25 New Orleans and Return**
Via Illinois Central, Jan. 22 and 23, returning Jan. 28. Write C. C. McCarty, D. P. A., St. Louis, Mo., for particulars.


# SAW REVOLVER; SHOT HIMSELF

**Man With Self-Inflicted Wound Blames Sight of Weapon.**

Joseph Curtis, 25 years old, of 3000 Gravois avenue, who shot himself in the breast Tuesday afternoon in a saloon at Gravois avenue and Arsenal street, is in a serious condition at the City Hospital. He said he had no reason for killing himself.

"I had been drinking a little," he said, "but I never thought of shooting myself until someone passed a revolver around for inspection. When I was handling it the idea to shoot myself came to me suddenly and I turned it against my breast and fired."


# "GOD BLESS DUFFY'S"

**Mrs. Anna Johnson, a Physical Wreck from a Severe Attack of Grip, Completely Cured by Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, After Physicians Failed to Help Her.**

**"God Bless Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, It Has Cured Me and Saved My Life." She Writes:**



MRS. ANNA JOHNSON.

112 Lockwood St. Providence, R. I.

Gentlemen: I want to let you know what I have suffered from grip all winter. The doctors said I had everything. I could not eat. I was re-everything. I could not eat. I was reduced to skin and bone. I weighed 175 pounds before I went to the doctors. I lost 50 pounds. I was so weak I could not work or sleep well. I stayed with the doctors six months, but one day my next-door neighbor told me of your Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. I thought I would give it a trial. I took one bottle, got strong all at once. I began to eat, and my people said I had a good look in my face.

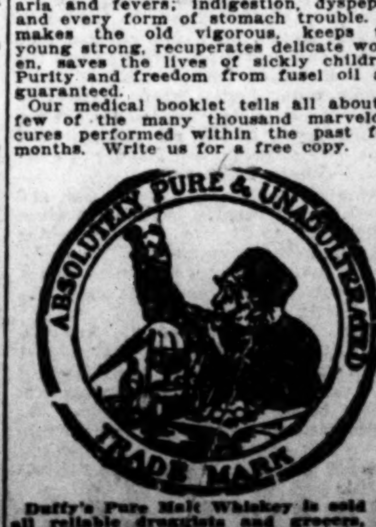
What I have suffered no one can tell but me. Your Pure Malt Whiskey has cured me and saved my life. I give it to my children. I only hope that people will see for themselves that Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has built me up and saved my life. I don't know how I can thank you. I can only say God bless Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

May 8, 1904. Mrs. Anna Johnson.

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Germ diseases are caused by germ attacks, or by poisons which germs create. And they cannot be cured until the germs are killed. Medicine is not for these troubles, because medicine cannot kill inside germs. Every physician knows this.

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The result is a liquid that does what oxygen does. It is a nerve food and blood food—the most helpful thing in the world to you. Its effects are exhilarating, vitalizing, purifying. Yet it is a germicide so certain that we publish on every bottle an offer of $1000 for a disease germ that it cannot kill. The reason is that germs are vegetables; and Liquozone—like an excess of oxygen—is deadly to vegetal matter.

There lies the great value of Liquozone. It is the only way known to kill germs in the body without killing the tissues, too. Any drug that kills germs is a poison, and it cannot be taken internally. Medicine is almost helpless in any germ disease. It is this fact that gives Liquozone its worth to humanity. And that worth is so great that, after testing the product for two years, through physicians and hospitals, we paid $100,000 for the American rights.

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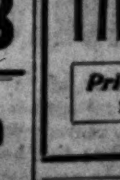


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**WOMEN** ...

# SCORES BURIED IN RUINS LEFT BY EARTHQUAKE

**Russian Frontier Town West of Caspian Coast Scene of Desolation and Ruin From Mighty Force.**

**WARNING OF PREVIOUS SHOCK WAS NOT HEEDED**

**Densely Populated Portion of Old Town Not Vacated After Damages From Catastrophe of Three Years Ago.**

LONDON, Jan. 18.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to a news agency reports that an earthquake at Shemakha, in Trans-Caucasia (76 miles north-northwest of Baku), on the west coast of the Caspian Sea, buried hundreds of people in the ruins of buildings in the lower part of the town, which was densely populated, despite the decision after the earthquake of three years ago that no more houses should be built there.

# M'CAFFERY LEAVES ELECTION BOARD

**Judge Forwards His Resignation to Gov. Folk Prior to Announcement of Successor.**

Judge James McCaffery has resigned from the election board. McCaffery fought Gov. Folk when he was a candidate for the Democratic nomination. The first appointment considered by Gov. Folk when he assumed the reins of office at Jefferson City was a successor to Judge McCaffery, who is the chairman of the board of election commissioners.

The terms of all three of the present election commissioners expire on Jan. 15, but they hold over until their successors have been named and confirmed by the state Senate. Judge McCaffery, knowing that Folk had no intention of reappointing him to office, did not care to remain on the board after the expiration of his regular term and forwarded his resignation to Jefferson City prior to the announcement that Andrew C. Maroney would succeed him as chairman of the board.

# M. S. U. ASKS NEW LIBRARY

**Curators Present Plea for Building in Biennial Report to Legislature.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 18.—A plea for a new library building for Missouri University is made in the report of the curators of work done in the last two years and needs of the institution. It is proposed the new building shall be a home for the University Library, the State Historical Library and the "Hall of Fame." The report makes a volume of 400 pages. An appropriation of $878,933 is asked for the university and $168,500 for the Rolla School of Mines.

OYSTERS, "Finest" Selects, 25c a dozen. Milford's Restaurant, 207 N. Sixth street.

# RARE RELICS TO STAY HERE.

**Sallberg Collection of Roman Arms for Washington University.**

Adolphus Busch, the millionaire brewer, and Robert S. Brookings, president of Washington University, have bought the Sallberg exhibit in the German section of the Palace of Education at the World's Fair, and presented it to the university, to be placed in the library building, which was the World's Fair Hall of Congresses.

The Sallberg exhibit is said to be the finest collection of Roman arms and implements ever found. The relics were unearthed at Sallberg, in the southern part of Germany, from an old Roman stronghold. They are valued by the German government at $30,000.

The discovery of the collection showed that Romans used many articles not unlike those now in use. Their implements of bronze were of similar design to those used now and their clothing was not very different from modern clothes. Even the shoes they wore were modeled on much the same lines as those of today.

**Cancer, Tumors, Sores and Goiter** Cured by a new treatment; painless and sure. DR. B. F. TOMLIN, 1100 Mississippi avenue.

**Despondent, He Tries to Die.**

Joseph Curtis of 3000 Gravois avenue, is at the City Hospital suffering from a self-inflicted bullet wound in the left breast. He entered a saloon at 3001 Gravois avenue with a drawn revolver Tuesday night and the occupants supposed they were about to be attacked, but Curtis placed the muzzle to his breast and fired. He was taken to the hospital in an ambulance where his condition is serious. Despondency is supposed to be the cause for his deed.

*Sketch and Snapshot of Brodie L. Duke.*



BRODIE L. DUKE



BRODIE L DUKE on his way to Court

# MRS. DUKE AGAIN ELUDES SLEUTHS

**Extradition for Tobacco Man's Bride Slips a Cog as She Disappears.**

**PROIMSES TO COME BACK.**

**Texas Officials Have Not Yet Applied for Woman's Return Under Charges.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—While District Attorney Jerome and the officials at Nacogdoches, Tex., are trying to find out who is to blame for the slipping of a cog in the extradition proceedings for Mrs. Brodie L. Duke, who was indicted at the latter place under her former name of Alice Webb on a charge of fraud, Mrs. Duke gave Mr. Jerome and her husband's relatives a shock by leaving her hotel and disappearing.

None can say just where she is, unless it be her attorney, who contents himself with the statement that she has merely gone into retirement to be sure she will be in New York to attend the hearing of the habeas corpus proceedings Thursday, whereby Mr. Duke, with the assistance of his business secretary, seeks his release from a sanatarium.

Mrs. Duke's move to escape the detectives stationed around her hotel by Duke's brothers was entirely necesary, if she sought only to escape arrest on the Texas papers.

Mr. Jerome expected the papers today but they are not here, and a dispatch from Gov. Lanham of Texas, states that no application has been made to him for papers.

Mr. Levy, who will represent Mrs. Duke in court, says Mrs. Duke confessed her career frankly to Mr. Duke before the wedding and the latter cannot secure annullment of the ceremony on the grounds of misrepresentation. The plea of intoxication at the time of the ceremony is also annulled, he says, by the fact that Mr. Duke did not leave his bride whenever he became sober.

**MOET & CHANDON CHAMPAGNE**

**Leads All Other Wines.**

What the New York World, Jan. 1, 1905, has to say:

Speaking of the wonderful strides in four years, from 481,776 bottles in 1900 to over 1,524,000 bottles in 1904 of the celebrated brand of Moet & Chandon Champagne, the New York World remarks:

"It is a superb wine bon vivants gourmets, poets have sung its praises; carful chemists have scrupulously examined it and found it not only free from deleterious elements but full of all the qualities that go to make a perfect Champagne. In body, in bouquet, in every quality wherein a wine can excel it does excel."

**Sculptor Ends Life With Knife.**

Henri J. Scheltgen, aged 55 years, the sculptor who made the model of the Annapolis Naval Academy, which was exhibited at the World's Fair, committed suicide in New York, Tuesday, by cutting his throat with a modeling knife. The sculptor had suffered intensely for two weeks after an unsuccessful operation for the removal of a tumor in his throat, and this is supposed to have been responsible for his act.

# AMERICANS VERY TALKATIVE, SO THE TELEPHONE RECORDS SHOW

**"Hello Central" Was Called Sixty-Five Times for Each Man, Woman and Child During 1902, and Ohio Led the List —Verbal Messages Equal Telegrams and Letters.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—"Hello, Central," was shouted 5,070,554,553 times by telephone users in the United States during one year, according to statistics prepared by the census buerau, but there are no figures to show how many times the answer was returned "line busy."

There was a telephone for every 34 persons during the year 1902, an average of 2109 messages for every telephone or 65 messages for every man, woman and child of a population of 78,576,436 persons. There were 2,315,297 telephones in operation. There were 4,350,486 miles of wire reported by all telephone companies.

The number of telephone messages in one year was 56 times as great as the number of telegraph messages and exceeded the number of pieces of first-class mail matter by almost three-quarters of a billion.

New York state ranks first in the number of commercial and mutual systems of telephones, miles of wire, telephones, messages, revenue expenses and surplus, but Iowa has a greater number of systems, yet Ohio was first in the number of messages used and in the net surplus for the year.

The total revenue of all telephone systems from operation and other sources was $86,825,536, or an average of $37.50 per telephone, and the net income was $9.66 per telephone. In rural lines and wire mileage for them, Illinois ranked first, but Iowa had more telephones.

The commercial telegraph systems numbered 25 in 1902, as compared with 77 in 1880. The decrease is due to consolidations. The average rate per message in 1902, after deducting the number of cable messages and the receipts therefrom, was 31 cents, as compared with 44 cents in 1880.

The total receipts of the commercial telegraph companies in 1902 amounted to $40,930,088, of which 86.2 per cent represented the gross receipts from operation. The operating expenses amounted to $26,582,411. The commercial telegraph companies reported 1,318,350 miles of wire in operation in 1902.

**GUARANTEED BY WOLFF-WILSON AND JUDGE & DOLPH.**

**Hyomei the Only Cure for Catarrh Which Returns Your Money if Not Satisfactory.**

It is seldom that a druggist has enough faith in the medicine he sells even when prepared by himself to be willing to refund the money if it does not cure; but Hyomei has cured so many cases of catarrh among the customers of Wolff-Wilson and Judge & Dolph that they offer to refund the money to all who use it and report that they are not satisfied.

Hyomei is the simplest and most convenient remedy for catarrh ever offered to the public. Breathed through an inhaler so small that it can be carried in the vest pocket, for a few minutes four times a day, it will absolutely kill all the germs of catarrh and cure the disease. Catarrh cannot exist where Hyomei is used. It has a two-fold action, killing all the germs in the air passages and lungs and soothing and healing the irritated mucous membrane.

Some of the most prominent men and women of the country have gladly given testimonials to Hyomei. After seeking relief in vain for years this wonderful remedy has cured them of catarrh, and it is no wonder that they want others to know of it.

D. O. Groff, Editor of the Nicholasville, Ky. News writes, "Ever since I was a young man I have been troubled with catarrh, and in later years the disease became unbearable. Hyomei has helped me so much that I wish to publicly speak of its merits, so that others afflicted as I have been may be likewise benefited."

If you have catarrh, accept their proposition and use Hyomei. The complete outfit of Hyomei costs but $1.00 and consists of an inhaler, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei.

# INGALLS TO RETIRE FROM THE BIG FOUR

**President Ledyard of Michigan Central Also Bows to Vanderbilt Centralization Plan.**

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Rumors that have been in circulation a long time concerning a readjustment of the administration of the various Vanderbilt roads have crystallized into a definite statement that H. B. Ledyard, president of the Michigan Central Railroad Co., and Melville E. Ingalls, president of the Cleveland, Cincinati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad Co., will resign from their respective positions in the near future.

These changes indicate a unification of the administrative forces of the New York Central system. In fact, all the Vanderbilt lines east of Chicago will hereafter be directly administered from the Grand Central station in this city. An offical announcement is expected within a few days. William H. Newman, head of the New York Central, is mentioned as likely to also assume the presidency of the Michigan Central and the Big Four.

# IN SOCIETY

Notices of social events intended for publication in the Sunday Post-Dispatch should reach the Post-Dispatch office not later than noon of the Friday preceding.

Miss Edwina Tutt and Miss Mary Pearson, Miss Ellen Brooks Johnson, Dempster Godlove and Clarence McNair Ilgenfritz gave a delightful musical program at Bollman's recital hall Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Ilgenfritz, a musical composer of merit, was the host. His song entitled "At Dawn," sung by Miss Tutt, was one of the most pleasing numbers on the program. Receiving with the host were his aunt, Miss Louise McNair, and Mrs. Oliver Garrison, Jr. Mr. Godlove, who sang the "Armorer's Song" from Robin Hood, was accompanied by Miss Rose Pfeiffer. The program was at 3 o'clock. Some of Mr. Ilgenfritz's guests were: Mmes. Palmer Clarkson, Winthrop Gilman Chappell, Andrew Hammond, Wallace Montague, John C. Roberts, T. S. Flournoy, Wallace Harker, George Willard Teasdale, Joseph Malone Wheless, Barclay, Houston Force, Edward Tutt; Misses Adele Gehner, Ruth Finkenbiner, Virginia Clardy, Minnie Busch, Stella Wade, Nellie Crouch, Ruth Espenschied, Marguerite Post, Hobart, Eugenia Maginnis, Adele Armstrong, Helen Johnson, Sadie Teasdale, Julia Barclay, Anna Force, Mamie Tutt, Kemble, Sallie Boyce, Mary Frances Boyce; Messrs. Tom Murphy, George Bluthardt, Irwin Hilts, Martin Seward, Major Hammond.

Mrs. Heister Clymer entertained a party of young people at dinner preceded by a skating party at the Country Club on Sunday afternoon. Miss Florence Kelley of New York was guest of honor. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. George Von Schrader, Mmes. William C. Little and J. L. D. Morrison, Misses Irene Bond, Caroline Lackland, Florence Kelley, Messrs. Langenberg, Glasgow, Ne son, Henry Lackland, Ted Steedman, Robert Walsh, Hyster Clymer.

Thursday evening Union Club members will give their annual concert. On the program are Miss Jessie Ringen and Miss Vornberg, who is pianist to Prince and Princess Rupprecht of Bavaria, and a member of the faculty of the Conservatory of Wiesbaden, and who has been a pupil of Hans Von Bulow, Emil Humperdinck, Franz Mannsteadt and Dr. Hugo Rieman.

Mrs. Edgar C. Lackland entertained Tuesday at luncheon for her daughter, Miss Caroline Lackland, one of this season's debutantes. The affair was one of a series of small entertainments Mrs. Lackland is giving for her daughter. The guests on Tuesday were Misses Margaret Lee, Minnie Busch, Florence Kelley of New York, Edith O'Neil, Judith Hoblitzelle, Louise Little.

The wedding of Miss Cora Gehner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gehner of West Pine boulevard, and Charles Schwerdtmann was celebrated at the bride's parents' home at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning. The service was read in the presence of the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom. Later there was a bridal breakfast and Mr. Schwerdtmann and his bride departed for a southern journey.

Thursday at 8 o'clock Miss Florence Whiting and Charles Pressley Mason will be married at Trinity Episcopal Church. There will be a reception at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Charles Scudder of Vandeventer place, after the ceremony. Mr. Mason and his bride will depart the same evening for the South, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Mrs. E. A. Garvey of the Hawley has given several informal teas during the past week.

Miss Margaret Post entertained at euchre at her home Saturday evening.

Mrs. L. A. Thompson departed early in the week for California, where she will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. Tarleton Brown departed for the East Monday and will spend most of his time in New York.

Society was well represented at the Century Monday evening to witness the second performance of Miss Cecilia Loftus and her company of players. Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Cockrell had seats in the circle. Mrs. Cockrell, wearing white plisse chiffon cloth over pale blue silk.

In the boxes were, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Jourdan, Mrs. Jourdan in Limerick lace and chiffon, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hardee, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Preetorius, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gardiner, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Johns, Mr. Dave Aloe and his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Weissels and Mr. and Mrs. Wichman occupied one of the upper boxes. Miss Ninnie Busch and Miss Alice Tittman and their escorts were in the parquet, near Mr. and Mrs. David R. Calhoun. Judge and Mrs. Henry Bond were in the parquet near Mr. and Mrs. Sel Edgar, Jr., who had Miss Rena Dula of New York and Mr. Henry Garneau as their guests. Mr. and Mrs. John Nickerson had as neighbors Mr. and Mrs. George Barnett. Others in the audience were Mr. and Mrs. Oliver P. Langan, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Puller, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Linsey, Mrs. Updyke, Misses Mildred Stockney, Emily Wickham, Mr. and Mrs. George Willard Teasdale, Miss Florence Kelley of New York, Miss Louise Little, Mr. and Mrs. William Zachritz, Miss Daisy Medley, Miss Carol West, Miss Stella Wade, Miss Helen Johnson, Messrs. Whitman Updyke, Stewart Stickney, Harry Langenberg, Leland, Arthur Williams, John Robison, Col. and Mrs. Frank McKenna.

Southern womanhood was well represented at the banquet of the Tennessee Society at the Buckingham Club Monday evening. In their honor the decorations were especially beautiful. The four arches of the banquet room were hung with Southern ivy, in keeping with the main color of the room—green. The carnation shades, planned by Mrs. George W. Blodgett of Chicago, formed a feature of the decorations. In the main part of the room they were of green and cerise in color and were so arranged over the electric lights that it seemed as if the ceiling was an inverted flower bed. At the table of honor the carnations were of pink and violet, the rich tones of the latter serving as an inspiration to scientists to create a purple carnation.

Mrs. Joseph Folk wore her inaugural ball gown. The bodice was of Limerick lace over white chiffon cloth and the trained skirt was fashioned of the same lace and material. The decolletage of the bodice was trimmed with sprays of white chiffon roses with pale green foliage.

The guests were:

Messrs. and Mmes. Guy Lindsey, E. W. Hulbard, W. J. Williamson, E. S. Lewis, John E. Allan, Thomas B. Armistead, Richard H. Bostick, Robert W. Brooks, Louis J. Brooks, Thomas J. Cleage, Jr., Charles P. Curd, Alfred N. Dale, Frank M. Estes, Joseph W. Folk, Ernest M. Hubbard, Dorsey A. Jamison, Jackson Johnson, John E. Massengale, James R. Massengale, Charles A. Moreno, Theodore Plummer, John C. Roberts, Alonzo C. Stewart, G. H. Willet; Messrs. L. O. Branch, C. H. Corbett, G. V. Dahlgren, Jesse W. Eiseman, Herbert L. Elder, I. H Lionberger, John W Estes, John W. Estes, Jr., Frederick Fahlen, Joshua A. Graham, D. S. Hill, Paul Jones, Claude Kilpatrick, T. J. McLemore, Tom Randolph, T. G. Ratcliffe, G. B. Rodgers, Charles F. Senter, Nelson Thomas, Lewis T. Tune, George H. Williams, Thomas T. Fauntleroy, Cornelius H. Fauntleroy, George S. Elder, Herbert Elder, Virgil Rule, James W. Lee, A. H. Duncan, H. B. Grubbs, Jr., Sarah Yeatman and Miss Wageman.

The Confederate Memorial Society will give a euchre party at the Buckingham Club Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Ben Givens is chairman of the committee in charge. Her assistants are: Mmes. Desloge, Celeste Pim and Alonzo Acuff.

Mrs. S. C. Martin and daughter, Miss Freddie, have departed for Palm Beach and other Florida resorts.

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**Children Get Estate.**

The will of Mrs. Sophia Shields, who died Friday at her home, 2707 Eads avenue, has been filed for probate. All her personal property is left to her children, Bertha Glaser, Julius Shields, Henrietta A[illegible] and Joseph Shields. The real estate is left in trust with Robert Roentgen to be sold for the benefit of the children.

# WHEELS OF JUSTICE THAW UP IN WATER

**Numerous Leaks in Roof of Courthouse Keep Force of Janitors Busy.**

Proceedings at the courthouse were not dry Wednesday. It was not a dry place, at all.

The roof was leaking.

It was not leaking in one place only, but in numerous places. There was so much moisture that the only way in which the wheels of justice could be prevented from rusting was to keep them revolving.

So the courts continued in spite of the deluge.

It is nothing unusual for the dome to leak. But leaks in other parts of the roof are unusual—or have been before this winter.

Then half a dozen leaks manifested themselves in the roof of the west wing. They were in addition to the dome leaks. The first to open was in Judge Ryan's private office; it was followed quickly by three others. Then a leak in Judge Fisher's office got to work, and while not reinforced by other leaks, tried to keep busy enough to rival the four leaks in Judge Ryan's office.

Janitors got busy. Cuspidors and wash bowls were soon inadequate to the requirements, and the building commissioner was called on. He authorized the purchase of half a dozen three-gallon galvanized iron tubs, which were placed under the leaks. Three of the tubs went into Judge Ryan's office; the fourth leak was cared for by twisting the hood over the steam radiator so that it became a trough which shot the falling water out of the window. Another tub went into Judge Fisher's office. The remaining two tubs were placed in the rotunda.

The leaks yielded steady streams which fell resoundingly into the tin tubs. They trickled and tinkled merrily, and formed an unusual accompaniment to the droning of the court officers, the logic of the lawyers and the stern pronouncements of the judges in the courtrooms adjoining the leaky offices. The tubs filled once each hour, and a force of janitors was kept busy emptying and replacing them.

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# TALBOT CASE IN CIVIL COURT

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—A summons to answer a proceeding brought by Dr. Irvine seeking to recover damages for the utterance of alleged libelous letters was served on Bishop Talbot at the conclusion of a meeting of the general committee on Sunday school instruction last night. Dr. Irvine filed notice of his case in the Common Pleas Court, but no papers. It is said he will be his own attorney. Bishop Talbot and Dr. Irvine decline to discuss the case. The letters figured in the recent church charges.

# OFFERS PAVILIONS FOR CONSUMPTIVES

**Provident Association Ready to Build Fresh Air Places in Patients' Own Yards.**

W. H. McClain, general manager of the St. Louis Provident Association, has announced that he is now ready to construct fresh-air pavilions for consumptives in their own yards or any other place they may choose. There is a fund by which these pavilions may be erected, the cost to be advanced and to be repaid in installments. Arrangements may be made for the construction of fresh-air pavilions by application to Mr. McClain or to George R. Blickhahn, secretary of the association.

There are many physicians who say that the same advantages will be obtained from living in the open air at home as if one went to Arizona or California, and that frequently consumption is cured by this means.

It has been ascertained that the donor of land for the location of fresh-air pavilions for consumptives at Montesano Springs will give as much land as is needed. He will also erect one pavilion and will supply money for the others, though this will be repaid him in installments by the patients.

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# ARRESTED IN MOUND CITY CLUB

**Eight Men Charged With Gambling, Poker Chips Confiscated.**

Eight men who gave their names as Edwin Brown, Gus West, John Bell, William Scott, George Benjamin, Theodore Oliver, Charles May and John Sandidge, were arrested by Policemen Madsen, Pasdernick and Feeney Tuesday afternoon at the Mound City Club, 112 South Fourth street, as stated in the late edition of the Post-Dispatch, and taken to the Chestnut street station on the charge of gambling. Twenty-two packs of cards and several hundred poker chips were confiscated, besides a box believed to contain money. The box was locked and was not opened by the detectives.

**Exonerated of Killing Negro.**

George Belcher, proprietor of the Tannhauser saloon at 111 North Sixth street, who shot and killed William Flewellyn, a negro waiter in the saloon, several weeks ago, was exonerated by the jury, Tuesday. Belcher had a fight with John Williams and in striking Williams with a revolver, the revolver was discharged and Flewellyn who was standing near, was killed. Belcher's saloon was closed recently by the excise commissioner.

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LADIES' and Gentlemen's Fine Umbrellas; a great variety newest styles, pearl, gold and silver handles, natural wood handles mounted with solid silver — Cape Horn and Buck Horn silver mounted handles—silk covers with cases to match and fine silk cords and tassels.

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## Baby Mine

Every mother feels a great dread of the pain and danger attendant upon the most critical period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy to all, but the suffering and danger incident to the ordeal makes its anticipation one of misery. Mother's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of the great pain and danger of maternity; this hour which is dreaded as woman's severest trial is not only made painless, but all the danger is avoided by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are overcome, the system is made ready for the coming event, and the serious accidents so common to the critical hour are obviated by the use of Mother's Friend. "It is worth its weight in gold," says many who have used it. $1.00 per bottle at drug stores. Book containing valuable information of interest to all women, will be sent to any address free upon [illegible] to [illegible]

## Mother's Friend

# WORKHOUSE IS HIS FATHER'S PENALTY

### Andrew Schiller Fined for Sending Son to Work Before He Was 14 Years Old.

For sending his son to work in a shoe factory two weeks before he was 14 years old, Andrew Schiller of 1839 South Fourteenth street, will have to go to the workhouse.

Edward, the son of Schiller, was 14 years old in September. In November Inspector C. J. Nordmeyer, found him working in a shoe factory as a stamper. He learned that the boy had gone to work there half a month before his 14th birthday, took him out of the factory and swore out a warrant against Schiller charging him with violating the state factory inspection law.

Nordmeyer testified that Schiller had a farm in Jefferson County worth $2000. Schiller admitted having a farm but said it was mortgaged and produced no revenue. He said he had been sick five months, and that he needed the boy's help. Judge Moore fined him $10 and as he says he has no money he will have to go to the workhouse.

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### Thinking of Mamma.

Elsie: And do you believe that was a real live Sleeping Beauty at the museum?
Tommie: No, I don't. She wasn't snoring a bit!


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## *They Smile Because Mamma and Papa Carried Them Safely From Burning Home*



MARY FRIEDA AND GUSSIE GORDON.

# BLIND LAWYER IS CRITICAL WITH JURY

### His Judgment on Rejection of Talesmen Coincides With That of Seeing Associates.

The jury in the case of James Mullery, charged with robbery in the first degree and larceny, was completed at noon Wednesday in Judge Foster's division of the Criminal court, after Walter Kelly, the blind lawyer who represents Mullery, had challenged the talesmen whose voices indicated to him that they were not the sort of jurors he wanted.

The selections made by Kelly of men to be challenged agreed with those made by Howard Sidener, who was assisting Kelly in the case, and who had the evidence of his eyes to guide him.

Sidener questioned the talesmen for Kelly. The blind lawyer listened intently to the voices of the men as they gave their answers, and formed his opinion of their availability as jurors from their tones.

As they went along Sidener wrote down the names of the men he did not think should be on the jury. Kelly had Charles Ring, who acted as his clerk, do the same thing. When the questioning of the men had been concluded they compared notes and found that their judgment coincided in almost every case.

There was one exception. A man who had answered that he was once robbed was marked for rejection by Sidener, but Kelly retained him. "His voice indicates," he said, "that he is a reasonable man. He will not permit the fact that he was once robbed to bias his judgment."

In his discussion of the qualifications of the jurors, Kelly manifested the keenest recollection of the answers they had given and the manner in which they had been given. He also remembered, as soon as a man's name was mentioned, where he had sat in the jury box and seemed to have drawn a mind picture of him as he had sat there answering questions.

Kelly concentrated his mind on what was going on and did not permit it to be diverted by anything. He listened intently to everything that was said in the courtroom.

One of the men spoke of having read about the blind lawyer in a newspaper. Kelly detected a sympathetic ring in his voice and smiled appreciatively and marked him down for retention.

The blind lawyer was neatly dressed in a gray suit, a light vest and a small black tie. He wore dark glasses.

# SUED FOR NINE YEARS' BOARD

### Mrs. Augusta Schmuck Denies She Is Indebted to Her Brother-in-Law, Grupe, to Any Extent.

Edward F. Grupe, 3437 Magnolia avenue, alleges that he has furnished his sister-in-law, Mrs. Augusta Schmuck, with board, lodging and gas since Dec. 7, 1896, and that she has not paid the stipulated price of $2 per week, so he now sues her in the Circuit court for $792, of which he says she has paid $2.

Mrs. Schmuck was surprised when told of the suit and asserts that she is not indebted to Grupe for his favors, that the property he occupies was inherited jointly by herself and Grupe's wife, and that she herself has paid the gas bills, kept up the repairs, taxes and general expenses and been the housekeeper of the family all these years.

She says she never paid a cent for her board and thought her services as housekeeper were sufficient compensation for her board. She was married to Michael Schmuck two weeks ago.

### Garrels Heads Clearing House.

The St. Louis Clearing House Association Tuesday elected the following officers: G. W. Garrels, president and member committee of management; W. H. Lee of the Merchants-Laclede Bank, vice-president, to succeed Mr. Garrels. J. C. Van Blarcom, the retiring president, was made the new member of the committee of management; with the following old members: R. R. Hutchinson of the Mechanics' National Bank, C. E. Kircher of the German-American, Charles Parsons of the State National and W. H. Thomson of the Boatmen's. H. A. Forman of the Fourth National Bank was elected chairman of the committee on arbitration, with the following members: G. W. Galbert, Third National; J. H. McCluney, State National; Charles C. Reuss, South Side Bank, and Walker Hill, American Exchange. Thomas A. Stoddard was re-elected as manager of the clearing house and W. H. Hoxton as assistant.

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### High School Girls at Basket Ball.

Basket ball season for the girls of the Central High School will open Saturday afternoon at Louisiana hall when the first team will meet the Alton High School five. Miss Agnes Meyers is captain of the Central High team.

# RESCUES FAMILY IN DENSE SMOKE

### Man Prevents Suffocation of Wife and Five Children in Their Burning Home.

### WERE ALMOST OVERCOME.

### Groceryman Carries Little Girls From Burning Building While Others Follow Him.

Awakened by the noisy pounding of a policeman's night stick on the door Wednesday morning Samuel Gordon fought off the stupor that the smoke from his burning store had brought upon him and aroused his wife and five children who were partly overcome by the smoke.

The fire consumed Gordon's general merchandise store at 4805 St. Louis avenue and damaged his home which adjoins the store to no little extent. But Gordon is thankful that he saved his family, and believes but for the timely arrival of the policeman they would have suffocated.

An overheated stove in the store presumably caused the fire. Policeman Thomas Prindiville of the Eighth district was at St. Louis and Euclid avenues at 3 o'clock Wednesday morning, when he smelled smoke. He made a hurried investigation and found that while the flames were hardly visible from the street, a dense smoke had been drafted through the store and into the house.

Gordon was asleep on the second floor with his wife and five children—Joseph, aged 15; Morris, 13; Augusta, 9; Mary, 6; and Freda, 4. The two boys slept in one room and the three girls in another, both adjoining Gordon's room.

The smoke had entered the rooms and when Prindiville started to arouse the Gordon family he could get no response, as the inmates of the house were stupefied.

Realizing that something must be done quickly the policeman sent his night stick crashing against the front door in a noisy tattoo which finally awakened Gordon.

Hastily donning his clothes, Gordon aroused his wife and children. He caught up the youngest girl and carried her down to the street, while his wife came down with the other two, the boys taking care of themselves.

Prindiville turned in an alarm, but the store building was destroyed by the time the fire department arrived. The principal damage to the house was caused by smoke. The loss on building and stock is about $4000, partly covered by insurance.

# FILIPINOS TO ENLIST

### Training School to Fit Them for the American Navy to Be Established at Manila.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Filipinos are to be enlisted in the American navy. The President has approved the plan, suggested by Secretary Taft and worked out by Secretary Morton, by which they will be taught the rudiments of naval life in a training school at Manila.

There is now a training school for the merchant marine in the Philippines, which is largely attended. The administration believes that a naval training school will be even more popular, and that through it many good fighting men will be added to the navy.

The President decided that the school could be established without any action by Congress.

# CHILD THROWN FROM WINDOW

### Mother Wraps Baby in Feather Bed and Drops It From Third Story During Fire.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—When fire cut off escape from her burning house today, Mrs. Anna Goniak, though ill, left her sick bed and wrapping her three weeks old baby in a feather bed, threw it from a window on the third floor. The child was picked up uninjured. Firemen rescued the woman with difficulty.

### Now They Don't Speak.

"I don't see how these beauty specialists can improve a girl's face," said Grayce skeptically. "At least, not every time."

"There are times when they can't help but do it, dear," responded Blanche pointedly.

And, after thinking it over, Grayce decided to get huffy about it.


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# VIRGINIA HARNED'S PRETENTIOUS PLAY

### "The Lady Shore" Proved Intensely Interesting and Surprisingly Big.

OLYMPIC—"THE LADY SHORE."
A Romantic Drama in Five Acts by Mrs. Vance Thompson and Lena R. Smith.

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| Edward IV, King of England | Robert Loraine |
| Richard, Duke of Gloucester | John Blair |
| Edward, Prince of Wales | Suzette Corrigan |
| Richard, Duke of York | Ory Dimond |
| Sir Marmaduke Neville, favorite of the King | Fred Eric |
| Sir Richard Radcliffe, Courtier | Charles Bertram |
| Sir William Catesby, Courtier | Wm. Temple |
| Bishop of London | Percival T. Moore |
| Master Rufford, Governor of Tower | J. W. Cope |
| Will Spencer, a Player | Harry M. Blake |
| Matthew Shore, a Jeweler | Wallace Shaw |
| Master Hobbs, a Cap Maker | W. L. Brancombe |
| Gilbert Josselin, Innkeeper | C. H. Crosby |
| Fleming, Shore's Shop Boy | James T. Ayers |
| King's Chamberlain | F. N. Norris |
| Turnkey | Thomas E. Keene |
| Ned Shake, a Pork Butcher | James Archer |
| Sheriff | Robert Hayden |
| Dr. Shea, a Tutor | Andrew MacKenzie |
| Shore's Shop Boy | Ernest Mandeville |
| Sergeant | Ferdinand Kimeni |
| Town Crier | Thomas Wilson |
| Watchman | Mr. Edmunds |
| King's Jester | Mr. Smyth |
| First Player | Alice Hoover |
| Doll Silk, a Flower Girl | Mary Boland |
| Mistress Hobbs, wife of Hobbs, cap maker | Alice Cobourn |
| Alison, a Fish Wife | Jane Gordon |
| Kate, Vegetable Woman | Jane Lloyd |
| Big Meg, Broom Seller | Elizabeth Brock |
| King's Page | Edna Perkins |
| Kin's Page | Betsy De Puy |
| King's Page | Margaret Coghlan |
| Edward's Page | Miss Rankin |
| Shoe Seller | Winona Dennison |
| First Court Lady | Miss Anstruther |
| Second Court Lady | Miss Anderson |
| Jane Shore | Virginia Harned |
| Court Ladies, Men-at-Arms, Soldiers, Courtiers, Merchants, Citizens, etc. | |

It woud be a pity if the accident which delayed her opening performance until last night and the uncharitable nature of the weather should combine to defeat any part of the interest which local lovers of the pretentious drama would otherwise have taken in the engagement of Miss Virginia Harned.

Under normal conditions this would have been one of the season's notable weeks at the Olympic Theater, for "The Lady Shore," the new play in which Miss Harned opened last night, is the biggest drama seen in St. Louis this season, if, indeed, it is not the biggest we have seen since Mrs. Carter was here in "Du Barry."

The pretentiousness of the play was quite a surprise. Miss Harned has never been associated in the public mind with those great casts and huge stage settings which have been the forte of Mansfield, Sothern and Carter, and when "The Lady Shore" developed five scenes, some of them so big that the stage hands required 15-minute intervals between acts to shift the scenery, introduced a court scene with 50 people in the picture, and a London market scene in which stage realism attained to great height in a throng of a hundred or so who did each his or her part so well that one guessed the trick had been turned under the skillful guidance of Miss Harned's husband, Mr. E. H. Sothern—when "The Lady Shore" flowered forth in this fashion the audience awoke to a realization of Miss Harned's great undertaking.

### The Idealization of the British DuBarry.

"The Lady Shore" is an idealization of the British DuBarry. She was the enchantress of King Edward IV of England. Plays have been written around her ere this, but they have been of sufficient historical accuracy to cast her in no commendable role. She was a bad and beautiful woman.

It is this historical character who walks the Olympic stage this week in the admirable person of Miss Harned. The authors of "The Lady Shore" have presented her in quite another light than she had been appearing in hitherto, both dramatically and historically. They have, indeed, built a very strong play about her, and ,whatever its shortcomings as a parlor play to "DuBarry," which the authors of Miss Harned's drama seem never to have let far out of mind while they were writing "The Lady Shore" and the way in which, in text and scene, it savors of some other similar dramas, it cannot be challenged upon the point of compelling interest.

It is intensely interesting. There were times last night when the audience scarcely sat in its seats, and there was never a time when the story was not eagerly followed, so evident was it that the authors had taken the bit in their teeth and were running with history as they would.

The Jane Shore of this play is a young and beautiful woman who has married an old jeweler to rescue her father from debt. Her beauty makes her husband's shop the most favored in London. Here come the rich courtiers, willing to pay liberally for jewelry if it be handed them by the adorable Lady Shore. Here comes Richard, Duke of Gloucester—the same monster who chills our blood in "Richard III." Aye, and here comes a'so the king himself—Edward IV. He visits the shop incognito. Richard and Edward, brothers, both fall in love with Lady Shore. Jane does not know that Edward is the king. When Richard makes bold to lay hands upon her, she repulses him with such abhorrence that he leaves the shop in high dudgeon. Great is the grief of the old jeweler, who wails that he is ruined. Enter Edward. Jane flies to him and begs him to take her away.

In the next act we see her in the palace. Edward has made her his queen. She sues for the common people and wins pardons, concessions, remission of taxes. The people love her. Richard sulks, and waits. Edward goes away to crush a rebellion and Richard traps Jane in London tower and declares his desperate love in a scene which is so dramatically tense that the audience bites its lips and breathes through its ears. Richard would dethrone Edward and make Jane his queen. Refused, he would kill Edward and leave Jane to death in the tower. The children whom Richard slays in "Richard III" are a factor in this scene. Edward has left them in Jane's care. Richard, in monstrous rage over Jane's abhorrence of him, commands the jailer to take the children to the headsman.

### The Fight in Which Jane Slays the Jailor.

There is one scene here which is powerfully melodramatic. It follows where Jane, locked in the tower, intercepts the jailor on his way to take the children to the block. She exhausts the art of pleading, and then she engages him in a desperate fight and kills him with a knife. Emotional acting of the better sort is so rare upon the American stage today that Miss Harned's work in this scene is worthy of note. She is capable of a great deal of emotional expression, and her opportunity here is much beyond anything she has had in any of her former plays. She rises to it splendidly, and the audience at the Olympic last night rewarded her with seven curtain calls at the end of the scene.

Jane escapes from the tower with the children, and in the last act the king returns, believes Richard's lies about her and gives the play a pathetic and strictly Du Barric finish with just a morsel of comfort for the sympathizers with Jane in the end.

It is a strong play. The rehandling of old characters and old materials makes it quite certain to be short-lived. Miss Harned's work is, of course, the chief features, and after hers is that of John Blair, whose Richard is nearer the accepted historical picture than is that of Richard Mansfield, and whose work in an effective role is making the most of a fine opportunity. Robert Lorraine plays Edward IV, and Harry M. Blake plays Will Spencer, a player whose role is singularly effective for the Villonian vagrancy and nonchalance which the authors and the actor have given it. Considering the size of Miss Harned's cast, the excellence of her support is exceptional and heartily commendable.

Miss Harned limped last night, but almost imperceptibly. She cancelled her Wdnesday matinee in order to rest her injured ankle for the performance tonight.

CLARK McADAMS.

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VIOLIN SOLOIST AT THE UNION CLUB, JAN. 19.



### Miss Louise Meyers.

Miss Louise Meyers, daughter of John C. Meyers and a young St. Louis violinist, whose playing is much admired, will be the soloist at a concert to be given at the Union Club Thursday night of this week.

### Odeon Stock Company Puts on "Shenandoah."

The Odeon stage bore a striking resemblance to 203-Metre Hill for three hours last night, when the Odeon Stock company produced Bronson Howard's rousing old war play, "Shenandoah."

The leading roles were in the hands of Miss Vaughn and Mr. McLarmie. Miss Vaughn played Gertrude, the Southern girl who is the chief charm and cheer of the piece, and Mr. McLarmie played Colonel West, the northerner whose love for the girl in Dixie gives the play its romatic flavor. The piece was put on with the showiness which has characterized all the Odeon stock productions.

# FALL RIVER STRIKE ENDED AT LAST

### Cotton Mill Operatives and Employes Leave Terms to Gov. Douglas.

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—The strike of the cotton mill operatives at Fall River was settled at a conference here today. The conference was held at the State House, representatives of the manufacturers and the operatives having met by arrangements made by Gov. Douglas.

The strike began July 25, 1904, when the manufacturers posted notices of a 7½ per cent reduction in wages. A conference held here last Wednesday was without result, but both parties met today, authorized to make a settlement.

By the settlement agreement the operatives will return to work at once under the reduction. The question of the margin between raw material and manufactured goods which shall be required by the manufacturers is left to be adjusted by Gov. Douglas.

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### Her Figure.

"Has your fiancee a tall, willowy figure?"
"No, a short, billowy one."—Dallas (Tex.) News.

# *PERFECT SCORE AT TENPIN GAME SETS NEW RECORD FOR MISSOURI*

### Jacob J. Pflueger, in Match Contest, Clears the Alley's End of Pins Ten Times in Succession While Crowds Watch and Cheer.

Local tenpin enthusiasts are commenting on the feat of Jacob J. Pflueger, manager of the Grand tenpin alleys, who rolled the possible score of 300 Tuesday night in a special match with P. B. McDonald. Ten times in succession did Pflueger send the pins down with a crash without a miss, thereby making a new state record. It is the first time a perfect score ever has been rolled in Missouri.

The pair were bowling for a purse of $25, but aside from that the match occasioned no particular interest until the fifth frame was reached when it was noticed that Pflueger had gone without a miss. When the pins went down together in the fifth frame Pflueger remarked: "By George, I feel right tonight." Then the spectators became interested and other games were forgotten.

In the seventh and eighth frames the pins were upset with the first ball and the alley was in an uproar. All the "rail birds" were applauding the player. Even McDonald, his opponent, "rooted" for him and warned him to be steady.

Up to the ninth frame Pflueger had not appeared excited as he had gone that far before without a miss. When the ninth frame was passed and there remained but one frame, he seemed slightly nervous for a moment. His friends crowded around and "pulled" for him. As he steadied himself, Pflueger said: "Well, I've got a good score if I do miss this one." With that he let the ball go. It struck the cork pin with a crash and not a pin remained standing.

News of the feat was telephoned to all the tenpin alleys in the city. Pflueger said:

"I felt that I had them going right after I passed the fifth frame. The ball felt secure in my hand and it seemed as if I couldn't miss. I was a little nervous in the last frame when the crowd was yelling and I knew that one ball would tell the tale."

Pflueger will play on the St. Louis team that goes to Milwaukee to contest in the National tournament in April. He did not play in the Olympic championships because of his connection with the Grand alleys on which the matches were rolled. Until Tuesday night, the state record for tenpins was 290, held by E. B. Wilder of the Cabanne team in the Grand Tenpin league.

# CAST IRON BOILERS JEOPARDIZE LIFE

### At Inquest on Explosion Victim Engineer Says Better Material Should Be Used.

At the inquest on the death of George Pfeiffer, who was fatally injured in an explosion at the Laclede Power Co.'s plant, Lewis and O'Fallon streets, last week, Chief Engineer H. R. Mason of the power company submitted a statement made to boiler inspectors condemning the use of cast iron in boiler-making.

Pfeiffer was a steam fitter at 3121 Olive street. He was injured Jan. 7 while working on a "steam trap" or boiler attachment. Pfeiffer was standing on a ladder when the "trap" exploded. The steam pressure was 170 pounds at the time. The boiler attachment was supposed to stand a pressure of 200 pounds.

Pfeiffer was scalded and otherwise injured by the explosion and fell from the ladder. He died Jan. 10.

In his report to the boiler inspectors, Chief Engineer Mason said: "Cast iron is notoriously unreliable material. I hope the time will soon come when our lives will not depend on it so utterly as they do now."

### HIS HAY THRONE TOTTERED.

### Teamster Injured by Fall From High Seat at Scale.

The uncertain foundation afforded by baled hay and the questionable jjoyjs of a hayride in midwinter are conditions now clearly outlined in the mind of Chris Koehling, a teamster living at 2615 Howard daw morning he is being treated at the City Hospital for a badly lacerated arm and a wrenched back.

Koehling was driving a wagon heavily loaded with baled hay, at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. He was seated on the forward bale when he drove upon the scales at Second and Tyler streets. In going down the incline after weighing, the bale forming his seat slipped forward and precipitated Koehling and several other bales upon the horses and then to the ground. Koehling fell in front of the wheels which passed over his left arm.


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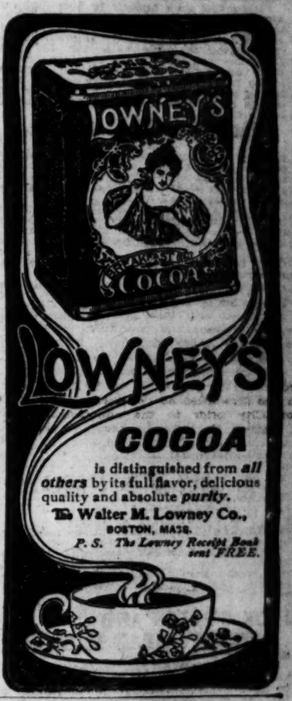
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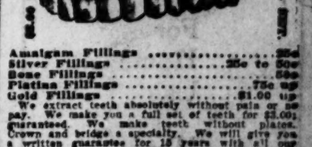
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WEAK MEN!


# Post-Dispatch's Complete Record of the Latest Sporting News

## FITZPATRICK AND DUFFY FIGHT DRAW

### Lanky Chicagoan Faster, but Body Blows of Fitz Had Their Effect.

### NEW CLUB HAS GOOD START.

### Harry Trennell Wins Doubtful Decision From "Buddy" Glover —Thompson Finishes Baker.

After 15 rounds of rather harmless milling, Referee Joe Coffey declared a draw in the main event between Martin Duffy and Dick Fitzpatrick at th Jai Ali building Tuesday night.

The Duffy-Fitzpatrick battle was the wind-up of a fair card and the new Commercial Athletic Club was launched with a good start. In the preliminary Harry Trennell won a very doubtful victory from "Buddy" Glover of Chicago and Jim Thompson stopped Frank Baker in the fifth round of the semi-windup.

The draw decision in the big show was fair and proper. Duffy apparently weighed within a pound or so of the prescribed weight, 142 pounds. Fitzpatrick was easily eight pounds over that and even with that handicap his strong finish is probably all that saved him from defeat.

Duffy had inches of reach on the shorter man and he used it to the best advantage. He never mixed when he could avoid and throughout the fight he stuck to long range work as closely as possible. Excepting in the give and take exchanges Fitzpatrick rarely reached Duffy's face, but the rangy welter was unable to prevent him from damaging his body.

Fitzpatrick held himself to body fighting almost exclusively. He hammered Duffy in the stomach nearly every time they closed and showed steadily improving form in blocking the long leads for his face. Duffy worked his left to the face continually and varied it occasionally with a sharp right cross. His blows lacked punishing power and there was never a stage of the fight in which Fitzpatrick appeared to be shaken.

#### Fitz's Body Blows Counted.

Fitz's steady attack on the body told heavily as the fight wore on and about the eighth Duffy began to come back and cover his stomach. The heavier man still kept up his work along that line and was better every round after the ninth.

In the last few rounds Duffy did little but slip and block the heavy body blows that were coming in on him constantly. While his lead in the first half of the fight was apparent it was not enough to more than balance his weakness and Fitz's strength at the close.

The most vicious bout of the card was the Trennell-Glover show. These boys met in the inter-city tournament at Chicago, and Glover was dropped in the fifth round after getting a decided lead up to that time. There was evidently bad blood between them, and about two dozen knockout blows were wasted on shoulders and skulls. They fought as if they meant it all the way. Glover kept his left shoulder hunched up over his jaw through ut the fight and Trennell's "third-rail" right glanced off of it repeatedly. The Chicago boy used a straight left to a good advantage and had Trennell's nose bleeding freely from the fourth round on to the close of the fight.

Glover dropped his shoulder for a second in the fourth round and Trennell flashed the right over onto his jaw in a second. It was a bad punch and slowed down the Chicago boxer for the rest of the round. This round was Trennell's by a good margin. The first and last were almost as easily Glover's. It was hard to see anything but a draw. Dick Jarrett was referee.

The Baker-Thompson bout was long on blood and short on science. Baker's face was pounded to pulp, and he was reeling around the ring when Referee Jarrett stopped the bout.

## JACK O'BRIEN AND TOMMY RYAN MATCHED.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan 18.—Jack O'Brien has accepted an offer from Lansing, Mich. to fight Tommy Ryan in that city June 15 for the middleweight championship. The promoters offer a purse of $5000 with the privilege of taking 60 percent of the gate receipts.

O'Brien received the offer Tuesday by telegram. The purse is guaranteed by the traction company of Lansing. O'Brien says that the match should be at 158 pounds, but he will agree to 154 pounds if Ryan insists.


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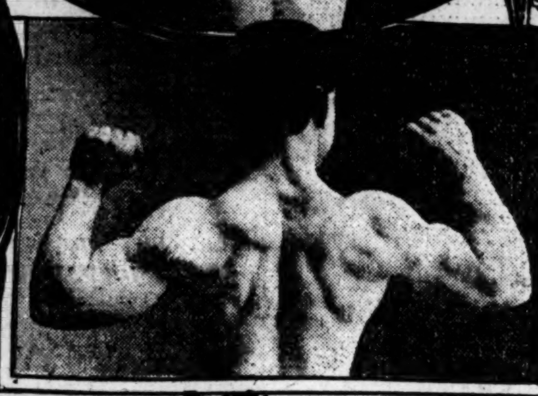
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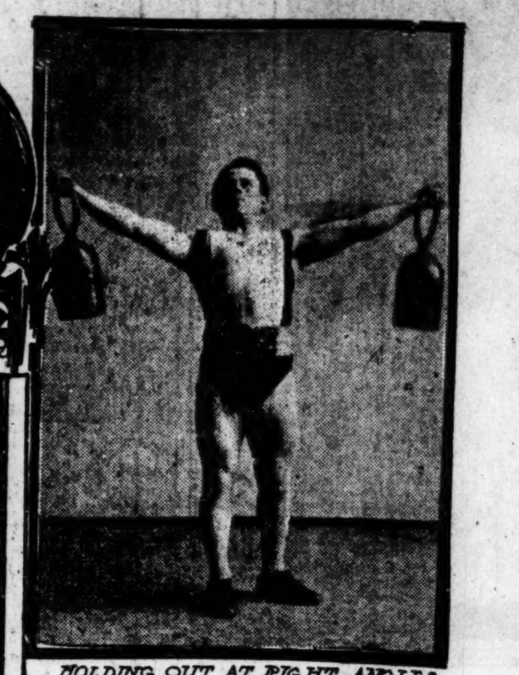
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## DE ORO STILL IS CHAMPION AT POOL

### Cuban Wins Challenge Match With Grant Eby by Grand Total of 600 to 480.

### CHALLENGER WINS LAST BLOCK

### Players Nearly Come to Blows Following Another Proposal for Contest by Eby.

Alfred de Oro has demonstrated again his right to the title of champion of the world. The final block of the 600-point challenge match with Grant Eby was played Tuesday night at the Broadway, and, though Eby won the academy money by winning the block, 221 to 196, De Oro's previous lead enabled him to win out in the grand total, 600 to 480.

The challenger played a cool, careful game, and, had he done as well on the first two nights, there might have been a different ending.

Eby held the lead throughout, always by a narrow margin. Both players missed a number of easy shots, and neither was in his best form. Contrary to the previous nights, Eby excelled in combination shots. De Oro did not shine with his usual brilliancy in this line and seemed reluctant to risk leaving the balls spread for his opponent.

The champion started the evening's play and held the lead, 37 to 5, up to the fourth inning. He slowed down then and Eby crawled up and passed him in the seventh period, the score being 50 to 49. Eby drew away steadily and in the twelfth inning the strings were 117 to 57. He missed the break shot after that and De Oro cleaned the table, increasing his score to 87.

The only real excitement of the match was occasioned near the close when De Oro needed only 6 points to win while Eby required 122 balls. Referee Van Dyke announced that Eby would challenge De Oro to a match for $1000 and the championship if the champion retained his title.

De Oro replied in a sarcastic way and soon the two rivals were waging a wordy war that threatened to turn the pool contest into a more serious struggle. Friends intervened and the game was finished. The bad feeling between the two again cropped out after the match. The lie was passed and only the interference of bystanders prevented blows being struck. It ended by De Oro declaring that he would never play Eby again.

A challenge to the winner from Jerome Keogh of Buffalo was read last night. Eby had put in his challenge for a return match before all others, but in view of De Oro's statement barring him from a match Keogh seems to be next in line.

## SPORT BRIEFS

The Union club basketball five will play the North Side Y. M. C. A. team Wednesday evening at the North Side gymnasium. The Unions have been greatly strengthened under the coaching of Dr. Brookes.

Frank Wynne, guard on the Christian Brothers college football team last year, was elected captain of the 1905 team at a banquet given the players Tuesday night at the college. Clay Henning was re-elected manager of the eleven. Hartnett January was chosen captain of the track team.

Considerable interest is being shown by the members of the Missouri Athletic Club basketball league and captains for teams were elected Tuesday. They are: Al Bennett and R. C. Shaw of the Men's Noonday class teams; F. Fauntleroy, M. A. Hunter and H. A. Davidson of the three evening gymnasium classes.

Edward Corrigan was in Memphis Tuesday and held a conference behind closed doors with M. J. Winn of the Louisville Jockey Club and a third person, who is said to have been a representative of the syndicate that built Union track in St. Louis. Plans for launching the new western racing circuit were discussed. Corrigan left Kansas City at the conclusion of the conference, while Winn departed for Hot Springs.

## BOWLING NOTES

KINDERGARTEN LEAGUE.

Continentals 4, Westminsters 1; Gasconades 3, Bantigs 2; Rawlings 4, Victors 1.

PRIMARY LEAGUE.

Endimoynes 4, Elks 1; Kinlochs 4, Comptons 1.

HAUPTS LEAGUE.

Kastans 3, Haupts 2; Motels 3, Arlingtons 2; Pikers 3, Stags 2; Monarchs 3, Stags 2.

NEWSPAPER LEAGUE.

Distributers 3, Assemblers 2; Spacehands 3, Revisers 2; Devils 4, Thin Spaces 1.

PALACE TENPIN LEAGUE.

Elks 2, Froelichs 1; Palace 3, Kern's Colts 0; Heidsieks 2, Jeffersons 1.

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## Wednesday's Hot Springs Entries

First race, three-eighths of a mile, for two-year-olds:

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| Mountain Lad | 103 | Mazzini | 114 |
| Dr. McCarthy | 114 | Prince Glenn | 100 |
| Main | 109 | Port Worth (Portland-Penninworth) | 114 |
| Carthage | 100 | | |
| George Shell | 103 | | |

Second race, seven-eighths of a mile, selling:

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| Silver Meade | 114 | St. Florence | 112 |
| Loone | 119 | Navarin | 109 |
| Amorous | 119 | Give All | 119 |
| Leenja | 112 | Maverick | 119 |

Third race five-eighths of a mile, purse:

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| Miss Affable | 95 | Mamie Worth | 111 |
| E. C. Runte | 102 | Moon 'Et | 95 |
| Pezey | 95 | Massa | 97 |
| Incense | 97 | Sovereign | 100 |
| Follies Bergeres | 100 | Jim A. Long | 113 |
| Toscan | 116 | | |

Fourth race, three-quarters of a mile, handicap:

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| Mirthless | 95 | S'een | 99 |
| Buttons | 120 | Neversuch | 98 |
| Roseben | 118 | Adon | 112 |

Fifth race, seven furlongs, selling:

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| Iverna | 117 | Ladas | 119 |
| Operator | 114 | Locket | 117 |
| Roommate | 114 | Cornwall | 122 |
| Waterford | 116 | | |

Sixth race, mile and an eighth, selling:

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| Tete Noir | 90 | Compass | 103 |
| Hucena | 103 | Priority | 91 |
| Cashier | 95 | Kingraine | 110 |
| Easy Trade | 100 | | |

## Wednesday's New Orleans Entries

First race, six and one-half furlongs:

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| Cycuttica | 103 | Mary McCafferty | 108 |
| Flocal Wreath | 108 | Our Sallie | 108 |
| Bonnie Litbe | 108 | Miss Gomez | 110 |
| Mrs. Frank Foster | 108 | Princess Atheling | 110 |
| Daisy Green | 108 | Athena | 110 |

Second race, three furlongs, maidens, 2-year-olds:

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|---|---|---|---|
| Hostility | 102 | Mosaic | 107 |
| Liebeigore | 105 | Ada St. Mary | 107 |
| Sainada | 107 | Grove Center | 107 |
| Veribest | 107 | Irma Brown | 107 |
| Malt | 107 | Gray Dal | 110 |
| Tenn's Bone | 107 | Markie Mayer | 110 |

Third race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile, selling:

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| Clover Hampton | 81 | Wreath of Ivy | 94 |
| Green Gown | 87 | Caterpillar | 95 |
| *Kinlight | 88 | Unmasked | 95 |
| Fox Hunting | 90 | Felix Mozzes | 97 |
| *Lacache | 90 | Flamboyant | 102 |
| *John II | 96 | Red Raven | 103 |

Fourth race, three-quarters of a mile, handicap:

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| Escutcheon | 93 | Poseur | 102 |
| Glsbook | 94 | Lord of the Valley | 102 |
| Fiorentine | 96 | Gay Boy | 103 |
| Careless | 97 | Topic | 104 |
| Yellmantown | 98 | Astarita | [illegible] |
| Edith May | 102 | Phil Finch | 110 |

Fifth race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile, selling:

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| Mrs. Bob | 81 | Little Jack Horner | 99 |
| *Triple Silver | 85 | April Shower | 100 |
| *Lieutenant Rice | 87 | Mary Glenn | 101 |
| *Lida Lieb | 89 | *Lord of the Valley | 102 |
| Vestry | 85 | Hakim | 103 |
| *Optional | 98 | Josette | 105 |

Sixth race, one and one-eighth miles, selling:

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| La Chaperone | 91 | Falernian | 101 |
| Louise Stapp | 91 | St. Sever | 102 |
| Keogh | 93 | *Lee King | 102 |
| *Exclamation | 97 | *Stonewall | 102 |
| George Vivian | 100 | Rossmond | 105 |
| Love's Labor | 101 | Leader | 107 |

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### Joe Smith Knocked Out.

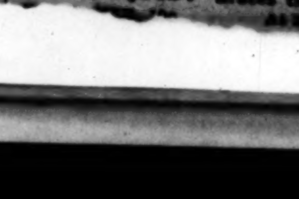
BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 18.—"Kid" Gilbert of Baltimore knocked out Joe Smith of Philadelphia last night in the ninth round of a hard fought battle before the Nonpareil Athletic Club. The knockout resulted from a right-hand punch in the stomach, followed by a left-hand jolt to the jaw.


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## YOUTH OF 18 COUNTS BACK LIFT OF 2400 POUNDS AMONG FEATS

### Arthur Bourret by His Wonderful Exhibitions of Strength Attracts Attention of Scientists and Physicians Who Pred'ct He Will Be Sandow's Successor.

MONTREAL, Jan. 18.—Arthur Bourret, a veritable marvel of physical strength, who has recently given a few private exhibitions of his great power as a strong boy, is already attracting attention from medical and scientific men, who have been surprised at his development.

Bourret is 18 years of age and weighs only 109 pounds, yet his feats with weights and dumbbells are almost on a par with those of Sandow, Cyr and other noted performers many years his senior and pounds heavier in weight.

A year ago Bourret was working in a quarry near this city, handling rock with rather more dexterity and facility than were his fellow-laborers, who were all grown men. His feats of strength were even then the talk of the district in which the quarry is situated and news of this progidy reached Peter Vallee, a well-known sportsman and athlete of Montreal.

Valee visited the quarry and saw Bourret lifting masses of rock that resisted efforts of the big men working with him. He did not lose time in transferring Bourret to more congenial employment, and for the past year he has coached the youngster in scientific weight lifting.

Previous to this time Bourret had never experimented with standard weights, but he has become remarkably proficient in handling them, and there are few athletes who can duplicate his feats.

Amongst Bourret's feats of strength are the following:

Putting up with one hand at arm's length, above head, 216½ pounds; the record is 273¼ pounds, and is held by Louis Cyr.

Back lift, with platform, allowing 16 men to stand on same, making a total of 2400 pounds.

Lifting with both hands above head at same time, left hand, 78 pounds; right hand, 105 pounds.

#### Lifts 217-Pound Barbell.

Putting up barbell, both hands above head, 217 pounds.

Holding out at right angles from body at the same time, left hand, 63 pounds; right hand, 67 pounds.

Lifting two men in human dumbbell style above head, average 225 pounds.

Allowing two acrobats to perform on human trapeze, one on each end of same while he holds them in the center of the human trapeze.

Allowing six or eight men to stand on platform placed on his chest while he is on "all fours," average weight, 600 to 800 pounds.

Placing himself on elevated pedestal, he lifts any ordinary horse weighing about 1000 or 1200 pounds.

As his name would indicate, Bourret is a French-Canadian by birth. His parents are undersized, and neither possesses unusual strength. Their other children are not remarkable for their physical development, but Arthur has always been more powerful than boys of his own age.

He started to work early in life, and manual labor and the studied exercises of the past year have made his muscles hard as iron.

Peter Vallee thinks he has a world-beater in Arthur Bourret, and is anxious to match him in a weight-lifting contest against any other boy of his years or any man of his weight in the United States, Canada, or any man in the world.

Vallee may bring Arthur Bourret before the public at an early date, as he intends to play him in some of the best vaudeville houses in America and Europe.

#### MEASUREMENTS OF YOUTHFUL SANDOW.

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| Height | 4 feet 9 | inches |
| Weight | 109 | pounds |
| Chest, contracted | 34 | inches |
| Chest, normal | 35 | inches |
| Chest, expanded | 37½ | inches |
| Neck | 15½ | inches |
| Waist | 27 | inches |
| Thigh | 18 | inches |
| Calf | 12 | inches |
| Wrist | 6 | inches |
| Forearm | 11½ | inches |
| Biceps, normal | 12 | inches |
| Biceps, arm doubled | 14¼ | inches |

## True Stories Stranger Than Most Fiction

### Bad Dream Endows 3-Year-Old Child With Powers of Speech, Though It Had Never Spoken Before.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—George Earl Boldt, three years old, had never spoken a word from the time of his birth until last Saturday night when frightened by a bad dream, he awoke and began talking.

Specialists on nervous diseases today declared that they had never personally known of a similar case. Dr. W. E. Quinn, dean of the medical department of Illinois University, said: "Never before have I heard of a case where a child who has never spoken acquiring speech suddenly. I did not believe it possible for a child who has never uttered words before to become instantly endowed with speech."

### Ex-Governor Taylor of Kentucky Will Stand Trial for Murder of Goebel.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DES MOINES, Io., Jan. 18.—Former Gov. Taylor of Kentucky, the man accused of complicity in the Goebel murder, will himself aid the defense in the mock trial at Drake University, in which Taylor himself is the defendant. The defense had endeavored to keep secret the fact that they had made arrangements to bring the real flesh and blood defendant to Des Moines, but an over enthusiastic member of the counsel for the defendant gave the deal away. Already preparations are being made to give the ex-governor a reception.

### Man Goes to Jail Rather Than Pay Alimony—Woman Swears Away Reputation.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Jan. 18.—Mrs. Nannie Robinson and William Postlewait occupy cells in the county jail, each a voluntary prisoner, the one impelled by love and the other by hatred.

Postlewait's wife and four children, weak from hunger and too feeble to work, are being supported by the humane society while he is serving 60 days in jail rather than promise the court to pay $4 a week for the support of his family.

Mrs. Robinson pleaded guilty to a charge of which she is thought to be innocent, swore away her reputation, never before questioned, and voluntarily went to jail for 60 days in order to prevent her husband being sent to the penitentiary for 10 years for bigamy. She swore she was not married to him. Robinson's wife No. 1 is said to be coming here to prosecute him for bigamy.

## RUSSIAN TROOPS SEIZE LARGE TOWN IN CHINA

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Shanghai dispatches report a complaint by the Chinese government that Russian troops have seized the Chinese town of Kashgar, the most western city in Eastern Turkestan. Its population is about 50,000.

The Czar has notified the Chinese Emperor, in the most peremptory manner, that, if China continues to discriminate against Russia and in favor of Japanese contraband, the Russian troops will invade North China and Chinese Turkestan.

From Tokio it is announced that a Japanese destroyer, with Lieut. Nagala and 17 men was lost in the attack on the Russian warship Sevastopol Dec. 14. The craft was at first reported as having become separated from the rest of the flotilla while entering Port Arthur harbor, leaving the Japanese in much uneasiness concerning its safety.

### LAWSON LOSES CONTEST.

#### Boston Brokers' Candidate Defeated.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—Members of the Boston Chamber of Commerce evidently like Canadian reciprocity better than they like Tom Lawson. At least Frank A. Noyes, who succeeded to Lawson's candidacy for president of the chamber, was defeated by Henry M. Whitney, candidate for re-election, by a vote of 227 to 418. Lawson attacked Whitney on the ground that he openly favored Canadian reciprocity and Whitney made no denial although the majority of the members are Republicans.

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### On the Firing Line.

"Yes, the Professor asked me what man, in my opinion, had contributed most to the drama's popularity."

"And you told him—?"

"I told him, in my opinion, the inventor of the opera glass."—Puck.

## CHALLENGE JIU JITSU EXPERTS

### Champion Featherweight Wrestler Says That He Will Meet Jap and Take Chances.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—H. W. Titus, the featherweight wrestling champion, today declared that he was willing to meet any of the jiu jitsu experts on the mat at any time and on any conditions, in order to decide the much discussed controversy as to the relative merits of the Japanese and American styles of wrestling.

Titus, who does not place much faith in the Japanese wrestling art, says that his pupil, Nels Rampf, and Alexander Swanson gave an exhibition at Tuxedo Park last Saturday night. The Jap, Higashi, and an assistant also wrestled.

After each pair had watched the other working, the American offered to meet the Japanese. The latter asked the officials of the club whether they would be willing to be responsible for an injury or even death, if it occurred. Naturally the club men refused. Titus, Swanson and Rampf claim that this is their usual way of sidestepping a match.

### PERFECT SCORE MADE AT THE TENPIN GAME.

Jake Pfleuger scored twelve successive strikes, attaining the possible score at tenpin bowling in a special match with B. P. McDonald, Tuesday. This is said to be the first time this feat ever has been accomplished in the city or state.

### Riddle Estate Left to Widow.

The will of Truman P. Riddle, which has been filed for probate, provides that the entire estate shall be left to his wife, Elizabeth V. Riddle, who is to care for the children, Mabel V., Ethel M., Truman and Emily C. Riddle. The estate is valued at about $200,000.

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## POWERS SAYS HE IS SATISFIED

### President of Minor League Organization Is Confident That Majors Will Do 'Right Thing."

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—P. T. Powers, president of the Eastern League and also president of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, the official title of the minor leagues, returned today from the meeting of the national commission held last week in Cincinnati. He was the principal spokesman for the minors in their demand for an amended national agreement.

"I feel satisfied," he said, "that when President Ban Johnson lays our case before the American League at its February meeting they will look at the matter with justice and decide our way. We were not represented at the American League meeting held in Chicago, and consequently Johnson did not understand what we wanted until we appeared before the national commission. Johnson would not vote on the proposition to increase the drafting price for Class A players to $1500 for one man from each club.

"The minor leagues accepted all the decisions of the national commission. In the case of Pitcher Roach the evidence submitted to us was entirely different to that laid before the commission from the players' standpoint as well as from the clubs. Had we heard the same evidence we never would have objected to the decision of the national commission.

"I don't think Herrman will resign from the national commission. He promised he would not take any steps without letting us know."

### Yale Wrestler Wins.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 18.—Edward O'Connell, Yale's wrestling instructor, was awarded the decision by Referee Harvey Parker over Max Wiley, all-American champion, at New Haven last night. Each wrestler secured one fall and Wiley finding his strength failing, repeatedly struck at O'Connell's arms. Referee Parker twice warned Wiley and then disqualified him. The match was for $500 a side.


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## STONE PLEADS FOR CAMPAIGN INVESTIGATION

Missourian Wants Parker Charges That Roosevelt Accepted Funds from the Trust Interests Looked Into by the Senate.

FEARS THAT CORTELYOU WAS USED AS CAT'S PAW

Spectacular Rise of the Republican National Chairman Pointed to as Suspicious—Roosevelt Believed to Be Naturally Honest, but Temporarily Blinded.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Senator Stone of Missouri will today attack the methods of the Republican managers in the last Presidential campaign. He spoke on his resolution, offered Jan. 4, providing for a Congressional investigation of the charges made by Judge Parker, prior to the election, and other allegations affecting the last two national contests.

His speech was a result of prolonged bate is likely to be precipitated, as some

As a result of his speech prolonged defend the President and Chairman Cortelyou, while many Democrats are in favor of the investigation.

"The charges of corruption made by Alton B. Parker and Theodore Roosevelt are definite. We cannot ignore them. If the Democratic party has also been recreant, if it is also guilty of this monstrous crime against good government let it suffer the consequences. Hew to the line, let the chips fall where they may."

Such were the words with which Senator tone closed the first half of his speech day.

The language had reference especially to e charges made during the campaign of 4 by Judge Parker, that the Republicans limit the acceptance of financial aid from porations which exist in contravention law."

declared that "under the circumces, this act of the national Republican rman and former secretary of the dement of commerce and labor was an of gross immorality if nothing worse," added:

To what level have we fallen if the erican people and the American Senate contemplate this national shame with President and Mr. Root is monstrous. re is no need to deery or condemn

### Scores Secretary Cortelyou.

It speaks for itself.

only know," he said, in reference to charges against Cortelyou, "that the ding admission stands that the trusts upply Mr. Cortelyou campaign funds. ever, Mr. Cortelyou has never made er to this charge. Why Mr. Cortelyou a dumb under this dishonoring arment I will not conjecture.

is hard to believe that Mr. Cortelyou d prostitute official oportunities to dan ends so base. I am loath to beit, and yet a charge so specific can be silenced by ignoring it. It is a upon national honor and it will not ashed out until it has been avenged wn to be true."

reviewed the rise of Mr. Cortelyou a department clerk to secretary of epartment of commerse and labor, ich last position he was clothed with itorial authority to spy into the s and power also was given to make discoveries public at the discretion e President.

e circumstances were curiously sigficant," said Senator Stone, "if not sinister. Why did the President select this inexperienced convert to be the head of his party organization? This accusing fact will y down, that the trusts did fill Mr. Cortelyou's campaign coffers to overflowing.

"The country is asked to believe that the trusts fought their gold to Cortelyou out of purely unselfish and patriotic considerations, and that they expect nothing in return. These, indeed, were virtuous trusts."

He said that the Senate would not accept these assurances without question and that the resolution of inquiry therefore should be adopted. He also expressed the opinion that the President's charges against the Democratic campaign management should be inquired into.

### Would Sift Lawson Charge.

Mr. Stone based his demand for an inquiry into the campaign of 1896 on the allegations of Thomas W. Lawson, made in a recent magazine article. The senator was himself vice-chairman of the Democratic national committee during that campaign, but he said that he did not propose to testify. Many thousand people, he said, believed that election to have been bought and that fact alone would justify an inquiry.

"It is hard," he added, speaking of Mr. Lawson, "to believe that a sane man, to say nothing of his integrity, would deliberately lie without an apparent object to his own detriment. For the sake of those whose good names are involved, for the sake of the public weal and for the sake of truth itself, this story should be sifted."

"I would prefer to believe that the President is ignorant of many things done for his profit. Theodore Roosevelt is instinctively an honest man. But he is also inordinately ambitious, and I have thought that ambition had so blurred his native honesty as to blind him momentarily, and to make him suffer things to be done that would otherwise be repulsive.

He urged an investigation under the President's leadership, and, closing, said:

"I hope senators will vie with each other in running this accursed treason down. Guard the republic against this crime, which strikes at the root of national life. Let us make our election a true expression of the free, intelligent, unbought will of the American people. Let us give to the maxim, 'Vox populi vox dei,' a vital meaning in American public life."

### FRENCH MINISTRY RESIGNS.

President Loubet Is Informed of Retirement of Cabinet.

PARIS, Jan. 18.—The Combes ministry presented its resignation to President Loubet at the Elysee palace this morning. The president accepted, but asked the ministers individually to remain at their posts until a new cabinet is formed.

## *FAIR UNKNOWN WHO PRAYS FOR RETURN OF HER MEMORY*

Some Improvement Visible in Condition of Woman of Refinement Made a Temporary Patient of Charity Through Her Peculiar Affliction.

BY ROSE MARION.

"Pray for me."

Heavy with pleading were the words, made stronger by two white hands that stretched out as if they fain would grasp something that was tangible.

They formed the good-by of the Unknown One that his lived at the St. Clair County Farm, near Belleville, for seven months.

All that time she has answered to a name that is not hers, because she does not know what name she bore before her past life became a blank.

She was found wandering on the outskirts of East St. Louis last June and has never been identified. She was designated "Annie Howard" by the police and this has since been misprinted "Adele."

Ideas as to her previous existence are coming to her gradually. She hopes they will all be here soon, and meanwhile she asks for prayers and holds strong to faith in Providence.

She was sitting in the warm hallway of the County Farm when I visited her Tuesday afternoon. Two women were with her—charges of the county. One, a dear old woman with wavy hair, who is there because there is not one left to provide for her, and another, a partial invalid.

"How are you, Annie?" said Keeper White, as he placed his hand on her head.

"Better," she replied. "I can move my hand more than I ever could." Her right side was paralyzed when she was brought to the farm seven months ago. So were her faculties. She had been found wandering in the neighborhood of East St. Louis and had been a patient at St. Mary's hospital before that.

I held one of her hands in mine. Soft, well-shaped, with nails that showed past care.

"When I came I couldn't move this hand," she said. "One morning I woke up and I was able to move it just a little. The next day it was better. The par"—— She stopped and turned pathetically to the woman at her right. "What is the word I want to say? I know what I mean and you know, too, but the words won't always come."

The question was not asked in a clear voice, but in one that showed marks of a combat between will power and nature.

Some one said "paralysis" and she was glad.

"The paralysis was going away. Now I can put my hand to my head. The rest will come right as my hand did."



The Unidentified Young Woman at the Belleville County Farm, Who Prays to Be Identified.

Her brown eyes looked hopeful. Tears come to them when she has talked much, but they are hardly the tears of hysteria, seeming to be a rest that nature sends.

Her hair is brown also and fine of texture, though it is short.

There are lines on her face—across her brow and about her mouth—but they may be the result of severe mental strain or physical suffering.

Her mouth is average sized, straight and thin lipped. Her face is oval and her brow is broad. Her nose is fairly large, her ears are small and well set against her head.

Her figure is still bent by paralysis, which makes her seem smaller than she is. She would at least be 5 feet 4 inches if she could stand well.

Not a thread of clothing has she that can serve as a link between her and her past life. When she came to the farm from the hospital she wore clothing given her at that institution.

Words, chance thoughts in conversation, are all that she has to depend upon, together with her faith.

Weird and uncanny one feels when one's word arouses her memories. She puts her hand to her head and talks for a minute or two and then comes that strange catching in her throat and her voice falls.

Some one said she had come from Cahokia. I said a few words in French to her. "Parlez-vous francais, mademoiselle?"

"No," she answered, "but they did at the academy. They taught French there and German and music. I was there as a teacher. But those memories hurt——" Her hand went to her head, tears came to her eyes and no more would come without pain and pain is the one thing from which she must be saved if memory is to come back to her.

We changed the subject. Some one spoke of a recent accident, when a man had been killed suddenly.

"One never knows," she said. "God has been so good to me I must give my life to thanking him. And these people here, Mr. and Mrs. King"——

"Hill," her companion corrected. "King" is a word that she says over and over again so that those who have studied her case think that it has a prominent place in her past.

"Hill, I mean," she said quickly, and then continued, "has been so kind to me. You know I never needed kindness from anyone before and I appreciate it so much now. I didn't understand at first. I thought this great place belonged to Mrs. Hill and that Mr. Hill was its supervisor and the attendants and inmates, servants. Sometimes the inmates did not want to do their work and that used to amuse me. That made me laugh then, though I didn't understand.

"Afterwards I thought this was a hospital and that we were here because we were ill.

"I think that I belong in St. Louis, Mrs. Hill will take me there when I am better and we will go to some of the places and maybe I'll remember."

Her voice at times is like that of an Englishwoman. Her language is good and polysyllables come to her as easily as the shorter ones.

"My religion is like hers," she said, speaking of the aged woman near her, "but I am a convert. I became a Roman Catholic at a hospital. I love all denominations and think they are good, but that is my own choice. All my people belong to the Church of England," she added and I felt justified in my recognition of English in her voice.

To some she has intimated that her conversion caused dissension in her family but she said naught of that to me.

To others also she told of clothing, paid up life insurance policies and a bank acount all of which are somewhere—she does not know. Hope is high with her and her brown eyes search each face that come before her.

"Come again," she begged as I said goodby. Then with more pathos, first in a voice that half choked and then in clear tones, "pray for me."

## COMRADES' ACTS SAVED HIS LIFE

When Workman Fell on Heavily Charged Wires They Pushed Him Off.

3600 VOLTS THROUGH BODY

Few Seconds' Delay Would Have Cost Him Life in Fall From Pole.

C. Elmer Clark, a structural iron worker, of 2312 Semple avenue, escaped electrocution Tuesday afternoon through the quick wits and prompt action of Charles Gabelman and Samuel Armstrong, who were working with him. Though badly burned he will recover.

While Clark lay outstretched on a network of wires with a current of 6600 volts going through him, his companions were quick to act and in less than 10 seconds Gabelman had pushed Clark off the wires while Armstrong broke his fall.

Clark is now at Mayfield Sanitarium.

Clark, Gabelman and Armstrong were working on a coal chute back of the Suburban power house in De Hodiamont. Clark mounted a pole which carries some of the electric cables out of the power house. The wires were about 25 feet above the ground and Clark was perched above them. He went up to throw a guy rope over the wires upon which to haul up a block and tackle that was to be attached to the pole.

In some unaccountable way the hook of the tackle came in contact with a live wire and the shock threw Clark from the pole on the wires below. As he fell he clutched a live wire in each hand and lay with his left leg thrown over another.

The electric current burned him. He was unable to cry out and lost consciousness.

Gabelman and Armstrong were standing on the ground below and they did not hesitate a moment after Clark fell. Gabelman ran up the ladder, which fell short of the top of the pole by a dozen feet. He had no climbers, but managed to get to the top in a very short time.

He saw that a few seconds more of the current would be fatal to Clark, so, shouting to Armstrong, he pushed Clark's body off the wires.

Armstrong braced himself 25 feet below, and when Clark's unconscious form struck him he was knocked down. He escaped with a few bruises, however, and broke the force of Clark's fall so that the unconscious man was not injured by his drop.

Dr. Olney A. Ambrose of 6126 Dartmer avenue attended Clark and the iron worker revived in a few minutes. His hands are burned to the bone and the burn on the left leg extended down to the arteries.

## MANY EAGER FOR PANAMA POSITIONS

Fifty-Eight Men and Two Women Take the First Examinations for Isthmian Situations.

The first examinations for civil s positions on the Isthmian canal in ama, conducted at the federal buildin the courtroom of the Court of Appe indicated that there is to be no dea material from which to select perso to fill the positions. Fifty-eight young men and two young women took the examination. One of the latter was Miss Josephine Knapp. Both want to be nurses.

The positions are physicians, surgeons, hospital trained nurses, hospital internes, pharmacists, bookkeepers and time-keepers.

Physicians are to be paid $150 to $250 a month, surgeons the same; nurses and internes $50 a month, board and quarters, pharmacists $1000 to $1200 a year, and bookkeepers and time-keepers $75 to $125 a month.

The salaries include quarters and in some instances board. Each person taking the examination has to provide a photograph, to be sent with the papers to Washington.

Persons who receive appointments are to have free transportation from New York, New Orleans or San Francisco. Eight months' continuous service will entitle appointees to six weeks' leave each year with pay.

Milton M. Dearing, secretary of the civil service board of examiners for St. Louis, is conducting the examination, which will continue Thursday.

## MISS SPRECKELS A FIANCEE

Youngest Daughter of Sugar Magnate Will Wed a Millionaire Hardware Man.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—The engagement of Harry Holbrook, the millionaire hardware dealer, and Miss Lillie Spreckels, youngest daughter of John D. Spreckels, is announced today.

### HE USED BROOMSTICK; FINED.

Driver Who Struck Horse Arrested Through Woman's Efforts.

Fred Stratman of 716 Rutger street, was fined $20 in the city hall police court one day for beating his team of draft horses with a broomstick.

Stratman was arrested Tuesday, as told in the Post-Dispatch, after Mrs. Marie Regensburg, first vice-president of the St. Louis Humane society, had followed him from Twelfth and Olive to Eleventh and Chestnut streets, ordering him to cease wielding the broomstick and blowing a police whistle between orders.

Stratman testified that he had been teamster since 1881 and never carried a whip. He said at the time when Mrs. Regensburg saw him strike the horse with the broomstick his wagon had begun to slip and he reached over to tap the off horse and tell him to a quick pull in order to prevent a collision with another wagon. Then Mrs. Regensburg blew her police whistle.

Judge Troesz lectured Stratman on the evils of str[illegible] in making an effort to strike [illegible] a broomstick and avoided [illegible]

## GOVERMENT TAKES UNCLAIMED MONEY

Judge Adams' Decision Gives the United States Treasury $15,104 That Has Awaited Owners.

In ordering $15,104.36, unclaimed money, which has been in the hands of government officials for 10 years paid into the United States treasury, Judge Elmer B. Adams of the United States Court declared Wednesday that any man who doesn't care enough for money due him to collect it ought to have a hard time getting it.

Under his order the unclaimed money will be held by the United States treasury department and any person who can establish his claim to part of it can obtain it, but only after considerable trouble.

The money has been in the custody of James R. Gray, clerk of the United States Circuit and District Courts, for 10 years. It accumulated in the 25 years prior to that. Most of it was paid into court in bankruptcy and foreclosure cases to be distributed. There is a federal law providing that such funds unclaimed after 10 years shall be turned into the federal treasury.

## GATES REFUSES A JUDGESHIP

Independence Man Declines Folk's Offer of Place on Circuit Bench.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 18.—Judge E. E. Gates of Independence, to whom Gov. Folk offered the place on the Jackson County circuit bench, made vacant by the resignation of Judge Andrew F. Evans, talked with Gov. Folk over the long distance telephone last night and told him he could not accept.

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## CHICKEN LAW WOULD SAVE DIVORCE COSTS

Mr. Carter, Although Two Years Late, Approves Heartily of the Hays Bill.

By a Staff Correspondent.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 18.—Two years ago Representative Hays of Putnam introduced a bill designed to prevent chickens from running at large. Thomas L. Carter of Spurgeon, Mo., has just been informed of the fact, as evidenced by the following letter, the reading of which embraced the House proceedings this morning:

Hon. M. Hayes of Putnam, Jefferson City, Mo.:

"Dear Sir:—I am deeply interested in the passage of your so-called chicken bill. Their depredations upon my yard and garden have several times come near causing me and my wife to part, because she wanted me to shoot our neighbor's chickens flying up our gardens and befouling our yard, but I neglected to do so.

"We never have had any chickens but all our neighbors have. Once I bought a chicken-eating sow and she did good work, but I lost all my friends by it and came near being shot several times. Besides, now a chicken has no more right to forage on a man's garden than a hog or steer has to run in one's cornfield. Tell representative Gillespie of Boone that I have voted for him all my life, but if he votes against your bill, I will never do so again. You must have an emergency clause to the bill, because gardens must be planted within 90 days after you adjourn. Please send me a copy of the bill.

Respectfully and etc.,

"THOMAS L. CARTER.

Spurgeon, Mo.

### Advice.

"Henry," said the father, "I hear you've been playing poker. Cut it out, my boy, cut it out. Never gamble. And you, Marie," he continued, turning to the tittering daughter, "I want you to quit that bridge whist game, and quit it quick, too. The idea! I don't know where you get your gambling proclivities."

And the indignant old operator put on his overcoat and started for the Stock Exchange.

## *WRECK HOUSE TO REMOVE CASKET*

Carpenters Tear Out Doorway in Order That Remains of 400-Pound Woman May Be Removed.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MAHANOY CITY, Pa., Jan. 18.—When Elizabeth O'Rourke, 45 years old, and weighing over 400 pounds, dropped dead from heart disease, the undertaker found it necessary to order a specially built casket.

When the hour for the funeral arrived today the door space in the home was found to be too small to permit the removal of the casket. Carpenters tore away the front of the house.

Twelve pallbearers carried the coffin to the hearse, which was inadequate. Unable to procure a larger hearse, the undertaker dismantled the one in use, secured the casket with straps and the pallbearers walked beside it two miles to the cemetery to guard against accident.

## SEEKS TO REPEAL PASS LAW

Senator Brown Wants Statute Prohibiting Legislators From Riding Free Knocked Out.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 18.—Senator Robert H. Brown, Democrat, of Cass County, introduced a bill in the Senate this morning repealing the sections of the Missouri statutes which prohibit members of the assembly from using railroad passes. It also repeals the section prescribing a penalty for persons issuing a pass to legislators.

When asked his reasons for introducing the bill, Brown said: "The law as it now stands is a dead letter."

Asked if he knew that Gov. Folk had declared himself in favor of the enforcement of law, Brown said he had not interviewed the governor on the subject. He was asked if he thought any members are using or desire to use passes. "I can't speak for the [illegible] he said. "I know [illegible] just he

## MRS. ROGERS HAS NO FEAR OF GALLOWS

Vermont Woman Not Allowed to See Presents and Letters From Many Cranks.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

RUTLAND, Vt., Jan. 18.—Boxes, bundles, etc., of every description are pouring into the prison, directed to Mrs. Rogers, the murderess who is to be executed on Feb. 3. They contain a varied lot of articles. Fruit, flowers and foods of various kinds, candy and delicacies are sent by cranks all over the country. The letters which are daily sent to her would keep her busy every minute of the twenty-four hours of the day if she were allowed to read them. None of the presents have as yet been seen by the woman and are destroyed as fast as they arrive.

John N. Woodfin, chaplain of the prison, says that Mrs. Rogers has not broken down or lost her nerve. There is nothing in her demeanor that would indicate that she is in the shadow of the gallows. She appears to be in the best of health and spirits and has no fear whatever.

Mrs. Rogers now knows that she will undoubtedly be put to death on Feb. 3, but she looks at this in the same matter-of-fact way that she has regarded everything since going to prison. Mr. Woodfin says that the woman seems to be sorry that she murdered her husband, but does not act as though she realizes the enormity of her crime and refers to it much as one would to a matter of much less importance.

## MANY SEEK NEW FLOWER

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Jan. 18.—Since the publication of the development of the everlasting and fadeless flower by Luther Burbank, he has received many flattering offers for the creation. The flower has not yet been developed to the full satisfaction of the wizard of horticulture, however, he has refused to sell it.

Not only have the offers to buy this new creation come by the dozen from this country, but those from [illegible] endeavored to obtain [illegible]

## NURSES ACCOMPANY HER BODY TO HOME

Miss Hattie Williams, Who Died From Burns, Couldn't Believe Death Was Near.

Escorted by three sorrowing nurses whom she had worked with at the Bethesda Training School for Nurses, the body of Miss Hattie Williams was taken to her home at Brampton, Canada, Tuesday evening.

Miss Williams died Tuesday morning from burns received at the home of Oscar Merrill, 4063 Castleman avenue, Monday, as was told in late editions of Tuesday's Post-Dispatch.

Miss Williams was nursing Mrs. Ralph Merrill, who saw the flames flare from a grate and ignite the nurse's dress, but was too ill to render assistance.

Miss Williams expected to leave St. Louis this week for a visit home. A few hours before death a letter from her brother Fred, telling how anxious they were at home to see her, was received and read.

"I guess I will have to postpone my trip a little while," she said.

"The burns were so severe they had dulled the centers of pain. She asked about her injury with professional anxiety.

Late Tuesday evening Dr. Sanders told her that she would never reach home, but that her journey would be to eternal rest.

"I can't believe it," she said at first. "But I'll see my folks some time," she whispered. Six hours later her life ended.

### Woman Struck by Wagon.

Mrs. Thomas P. Hickey of 21 South Fifteenth street is still suffering from injuries received by being struck by a wagon while she was crossing the street at Second and Market streets last Friday. It was at first reported that she slipped on the ice. She asserts, however, that she was struck by a wagon going at high speed.

Wary Winds.

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Biggest West of the Mississippi.

Is Russia trying to save her credit by involving other powers in the war?

With the Japanese training Chinamen for war, things do begin to look a little yellow.

Gov. Folk insists that the lobbyists must see him before they see any legislators. Doesn't that jar you?

In enforcing the law against pistol carrying the police may be lucky enough to get some of the highwaymen who are loaded.

## SECRETARY MORTON'S BLIND SIDE.

Secretary Morton's desire to harmonize his views as a member of the President's cabinet with his interests as a railroad man has resulted in an extraordinary interview, in which he indulges in some picturesque logic.

The secretary sees only three possible conditions for the railroads—pooling, consolidation or government ownership. Denouncing government ownership as chaos he favors federal supervision and regulation of all railroad transportation for the protection of the railroads—save the mark!—as well as for the protection of the public. Mr. Morton does not see that government ownership is only a step from government supervision—a step which is likely to be forced by the efforts of the railroads to regulate the regulator.

There is another simple and obvious conclusion which does not occur to Secretary Morton, namely: obedience to the laws on the part of the railroad and enforcement of the laws on the part of the government.

The decision of a Clayton judge that two pounds of paper money are too bulky for a bustle, will create considerable cheerfulness among bankers.

## PREJUDICE AGAINST PISTOL TOTING.

A bill before the Texas Legislature, providing heavy special penalties for shooting by persons who habitually carry firearms, indicates a growing sentiment against the pistol toting practice in the South.

In New York city the District Attorney has drafted a bill imposing heavy penalty upon irresponsible persons who carry concealed weapons. And in Chicago the Coroner has asked the Illinois Legislature for additional legislation on the subject.

In most states the laws on this subject are adequate. But the police are neglectful and the courts often not so energetic as they might be. What is needed everywhere is an active sentiment—prejudice even—against the pistol toting habit which is a barbarious folly, an anachronism which civilization should not tolerate.

[illegible]ience has discovered that some children are born with two [illegible]achs. This is rather discouraging to the patriotic father who is trying to have a family of the size required by the President.

## MATERIALIZING MUNICIPAL DREAMS.

The first [illegible] page of the Post-Dispatch was a picture of what may [illegible] a municipal dream, with St. Louis as its subject, [illegible] official plan number 2 for beautifying new St. Lo[illegible] the same time grouping the public buildings in [illegible] scheme, around a splendid park. The Post-Dispatch [illegible]shed, some time ago, plan number 1, covering the same [illegible], with different details as to location of buildings, etc. These plans are the work of a special commission and are on file in the mayor's office.

Bearing in mind the aim and scope of these plans for municipal improvement, and especially what they imply in regard to a corresponding improvement in municipal manners and personnel, it is rather discouraging to find, in Monday's Post-Dispatch, complaints that the city cannot even clean the snow and slush from the sidewalks in front of its present buildings, much less look after the streets and crossings, for the safety and comfort of citizens.

Is it not, then, foolish to indulge in these grandiose dreams of a beautiful central park, with handsome, artistic public buildings grouped in order around it, together with all the desirable and comely details of fountain, statue, shrubbery and tree? By no means.

Remember the World's Fair.

What St. Louis has done for the country and the world, in creating and materializing a vast and perfect dream, she can, if she chooses, do for herself. Either of these plans may be realized, if the people wish. St. Louis may have a beautiful central park, with a group of public buildings that would make her the envy of other cities.

The time for big things in St. Louis has not passed with the Fair. The same energy, the same people, the same resources are here. If the citizens desire it, St. Louis may become as beautiful as her World's Fair record entitles her to become. Faith and hard work will materialize the dream.

Examples of men and women who have been ruined in character and future by the temptations of racetrack gambling come to light nearly every day. The Post-Dispatch has printed scores of cases, many of which involved the wreck of homes and brought poverty and misery to innocent members of families. The record of ruin wrought by the racetracks in this city is appalling. It has been proven that no good end is served by the breeders' law, which legalizes racetrack gambling, and that its consequences are wholly bad. It fills the pockets of professional gamblers at the expense of the community. The facts are against the breeders' law. Public sentiment condemns it. The members of the State Legislature who stand for morality and sound public policy should get together for the prompt repeal of this crime-breeding fraud.

## PITTSBURG AND ST. LOUIS.

The Pennsylvania Legislature is considering and will probably pass a bill consolidating Pittsburg, Allegheny, Wilkensburg Homestead, Sharpsburg and McKee's Roads into one municipality.

Greater Pittsburg will then be ready to compete with St. Louis for the fourth place among American cities in 1910.

In 1900 the combined population of these municipalities was 488,746. St. Louis contained a population that year of 575,238.

In the light of those figures it is difficult to perceive the ground of Pittsburg's hope. Nothing has happened since the census year to justify such sanguine expectations. But it would be well for the Million Club to take notice of the Pennsylvania town's ambition. If Pittsburg, which in 1890, ranked eleventh among American cities, actually believes she can reach the fourth place in 1910, she has a Million Club in action which proposes to do things.

There has been wholesale smuggling at Brownsville, Tex. The higher the tariff, the higher is the premium on smuggling. For profit in this kind of free trade there has never been a better time than now.

The judgment in the Burton case was reversed by 5 to 4. The court divides thus on almost every question brought before it. Is the law then so doubtful that nine learned men cannot agree on its meaning?

The next World's Fair will have a great display of southern Missouri oranges.

## POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS

Legal questions not answered. Business addresses not given. No bets decided. Write but one question. Sign but one initial. Address all questions, "Answers, Post-Dispatch, City." Use postal cards if convenient.

C. K.—Carroll Johnston is white.
E. S.—Miss Joe Akins was to Romeo.
A. L. B.—Nov. 19, 1883, was Monday.
A. W. W.—Nov. 13, 1852, was Monday.
R. L.—Electric furnace to melt platina.
E. E.—Try London for National Review.
P. D.—Jefferson school, Ninth and Wash.
C. O. D.—Dave Warfield will not be here.
B. B.—We have no recipe for dyeing furs.
E. O. W.—"Trip to Africa" troupe, colored.
A. A.—Microscope shows pepper adulteration.
J. H.—Specific gravity of copper, 895; tin, 729.
J. C. K.—Imperial Theater audience faces east.
L. M. C.—See Furman's Manual Public Library.
H. R. K.—Luther Bible, 1736, no quotable value.
FRIEND.—Helen Gould, 579 Fifth avenue, New York.
MAUDE.—Twelfth wedding anniversary, silk and fine linen.
A. B. C.—Blade allowed pocket knife, anything under three inches.
M.—Acre, 43,560 square feet; square mile, 640 acres; rod, 5½ yards.
C. E. B.—It is proper for a widow to use her husband's initials, or not to do so.
BOSTON.—There were a princess and princes at the Fair; no kings or queens.
D.—The Maine was blown up Feb. 15, 1898. United States declared war April 24, 1898.
J. W. P.—The dieresis (two dots over a vowel) indicates two vowels, to be pronounced separately.
B. P.—Painting the eyebrows nightly with warm olive oil is said to thicken and darken them.
E. S.—We cannot undertake to say that a severe attack of appendicitis always necessitates an operation.
J.—Shorthand is taught at Grand and Finney avenue night school without cost to persons under 20 years of age.
JUNIATA.—St. Louis latitude, 38 degrees 38 minutes north; longitude, 90 degrees 12 minutes west; altitude, 500 feet.
READER.—Roosevelt vote in New York City, 155,055; Parker, 189,721. Brooklyn, Roosevelt, 113,352; Parker, 111,855.
MICHAEL.—Mean temperature of western Oregon, about 52 degrees. There are few cold waves, and several years sometimes pass without a thunderstorm.
JOHNSON.—Henryetta, I. T., 484 miles from St. Louis, by way of the Frisco; population, 400. It is in the Creek nation, 45 miles south of Sepulpa; a little west and north of center of the territory.
L. A.—Camp Jackson, bounded north by Olive, south by Laclede, west by Grand, east by a line beginning opposite Howard hall (Garrison and Olive), and running southeasterly to Laclede to a point just west of Ewing.
L.—We do not know what will sustain chameleons after the insect season. They do not thrive in cold climates. Perhaps they are sufficiently torpid in winter to need no food. They should always have access to water.

## JUST A MINUTE FOR Post-Dispatch Verse and... Humor

### Dr. Tubbs and the Waiter.

(After Longfellow.)

"Speak, speak thou fearful wight,
Who with thy visage white,
Like ghosts that roam at night,
Comest to daunt me!
Pale, as if wrapped in balms,
But with thy skinny palms
Stretched as if asking alms,
Why dost thou haunt me?"

Then from those cavernous eyes
Pale flashes seemed to rise,
As when the northern skies
Gleam in December,
And like the water's flow
Under December's snow
Came a dull voice of woe
From the heart's chamber.

"I was prince of old—
A barkeep', sir—a bold
Handler of silver, gold
And other money.
If, a day's work to crown,
Without a sigh or frown,
I couldn't with ease knock down
A V, 'twas funny.

"But one who came across
My system tipped the boss
One morning, and the loss
Of my job resulted.
Thenceforth, as you can see,
'Twas tips or nix for me,
And gladly, joyously
My foes exulted.

"Hence 'tis, sir, that I stand
With my extended hand,
Hoping at length to land
A tip from you, sir,
To swell my little hoard
To pay for room and board,
Which else I can't afford,
As I can but few, sir."

Then rose the wrathy Tubbs,
And said: "Of all the dubs
Who dodge misfortune's rubs,
Which men must face, sir,
You are the very worst!
A tip? I'll see you curst
And drawn and quartered first!
A tip? Nay, nay, sir!"

### Johnnie Jimpsonweed on Ice.



I scene a fatt man fall on thee ise in frunt of ower house thiss moarning and itt neerly tickeled mee too deth. i always like too see a fatt man fall becaws hee luks soe funny when hee roles over in thee gutter and spitts thee sno out off his mouth. Iff hee was skinnie hee wud brake foar or five boans or crak his nutt, but nuthing like thatt ever happens too a fatt man, becaws hee has soe much fatt to fall on that itt is almost impossibl for him to hurt hisself. if i was a fat man i wud get a butcher too cutt mee down, becaws i wud rather luk like a beanpole than a jellie fish.
JOHNNIE JIMPSONWEED.

### He Would Not Disturb Us.

The knowing waiter, should we dodge the tip,
Be sure of this, would let us r. i. p.
That is to say, should that small matter cease,
He'd let us rip—and also rest in peace.

The President of the Arkansas Senate has been presented with a gavel made by a student at the Pine Bluff negro normal school. Will Gov. Jeff Davis stand for this fearful outrage?

That Texas bill which proposes to limit all drinking to saloons will seriously interfere with those lovers who are fond of quoting "Drink to me only with thy eyes, and I will drink with mine."

## WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY.

### Humor of the Day at Washington Collected by Post-Dispatch Correspondents.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A Republican statesman from New York, who aspired to be on the President's side in the recent senatorship squabble in the Empire state went to the White House one day before the Depew victory was proclaimed to sound out the President.

"Mr. President," he said, "I am in a good deal of a fix over this senatorial matter. I want to see harmony in the party and I came up to ask whether you are for Depew or Black?"

"I am not going to say a word on that subject," the President replied vigorously, "not a word. I have decided to keep out of the contest and remain absolutely neutral. It is wasting time to talk to me about it."

"But, Mr. President," said the statesman, "I am for Senator Depew, and I want to see him elected."

"So do I, so do I," shouted the President with the utmost dental emphasis, "but you never heard me say so."

"How's the election going?" Representative Shackelford of Missouri asked an old negro last election day in his district.

"Dunno boss, dunno, but I done voted for $2.25, and I hears deys offering $4 flat, so 'spect de election aint gwine so good for me," answered the darkey.

Senator Pettus of Alabama, is 84 years old and has never been known to take medicine since he came to Washington.

"How do you keep so well?" asked Sergeant at Arms Ransdell, who has a little apothecary shop for the benefit of senators. "Don't you ever see a doctor?"

"Oh, yes, I see a doctor," Senator Pettus said. "I go and talk with my physician frequently. He gives me prescriptions and I never have 'em filled, and, consequently, I always feel good."

## A MOMENT'S MERRIMENT

### Not in Demand.




### Home Education.



"Say, pop, did you fall off the water wagon?"
"No, my son; it's a case of electrolysis!"

### A Palpable Hit.

Bunker: You've seen Miss Dash on the links, eh? Then you must have noticed how recklessly she approaches the ball."

Newcome: Yes, that was the first thing to strike my eye.—Catholic Standard and Times.

### Not Hopelessly Deaf.

Tom: Are you deaf to my pleading?
Eva: I am.
Tom: But what if I was to offer you a diamond ring.
Eva: Oh, I am not stone deaf.

### Possibly It's a Pipe.

Peter Piper had just picked the peck of pickled peppers.

"Reminds me, somehow," he said, "of Pennypacker preparing to punish the perverse Pennsylvania papers for printing pert and provoking pictures."

Playfully pinching Penrose, he plucked a particularly promising perquisite from the political plum tree and proceeded on his promenade.

### Ambition.



"Are you going to be a soldier when you grow up?"
"No, I'm going to be an ordinary man like you."

Mighty few men can get worried over their soul when their collar button is pinching the back of their neck.

### So Precocious.




## KNOW ABOUT YOURSELF.

### No. 3—Hygiene of the Breathing.

BY E. F. INGALLS, M. D.

(Condensed for the Post-Dispatch from "Personal Hygiene," by Charles G. Stockton, M. D. Copyright, 1904, by W. B. Saunders & Co.)

THE nose is in two portions, the outer (or facial), and the inner, which lies within the skull. The inner nose consists of two air passages extending back into the skull as far as the rear end of the hard palate or roof of the mouth. Here they end in a cavity called the nasopharynx. The mucous membrane of the nose contains many nerves of sensation besides the special nerves of smell.

The nose's best known function is the sense of smell; but it has other functions more important to health. The many folds and narrow passages of the nasal surface warm the air that passes through them and also moistens it, thus preparing it for ingress into the lungs. The moist mucous membrane of the nose and the hairs at the entrance to the nostrils also catch dust and microbes, preventing their absorption by the lungs. To keep the nose and nose passages healthy the nostrils must be kept open for the passage of air. Breathing through the open mouth is to be avoided. Microbes of grip, pneumonia, consumption, diphtheria, etc., easily pass through the open mouth to the lungs, tonsils and throat.

To keep the nose in perfect condition avoid catching cold. Cold shower baths are good preventives of a cold. Avoid overheated rooms, too much clothing and ill-ventilated sleeping apartments.

The cavity known as the nasopharynx is roofed by the base of the skull and is bounded by the vertebrae of the neck, the posterior ends of the nostrils and the eustachian tubes. These eustachian tubes project into the nasopharynx and supply the ear with air. Below the nasopharynx and continuous with it is the oropharynx, a part of the pharynx connecting with the mouth. This cavity is used in both breathing and swallowing. The tonsils are just in front of the oropharynx.

The thorax or chest cavity is formed by the attachments of the ribs, their cartilages and the breast bone (or sternum). The lungs are composed of a vast number of tiny air cells, connecting with the outer air by means of the bronchial tubes.

The lungs are not directly attached to the chest wall, but are covered by a membrane called the pleura. The lungs are kept expanded by the suction of the chest wall. Respiratory exercises, like sparring, running, etc., aid the chest development of growing boys. The flat or narrow chest predisposes to consumption. Next to a well-formed chest, the purity of the air inhaled is of prime importance to the well-being of the lungs. Open-air life, well-ventilated rooms, deep-breathing exercises and a proper course of gymnastics, all are conducive to strong and healthy breathing apparatus.

## This Theatre Hat Folds.




A collapsible theatre hat, that may be folded into a minute space, and when necessary will reassume its former symmetry, has been invented by a London milliner for the benefit of her sex. The hat, which has been patented, is made on an ingenious framework, which can be covered with pliable straw, chiffon, lace, or cloth — indeed, any material save velvet, which would crush too much to be of service. It can also be modelled in any shape to suit any style of beauty.

## OUT OF THE MOUTHS OF BABES.

Johnny: I'm going to be a train robber when I grow up.
Tommy: Are you going to get a job as sleeping car porter or news butcher?

"Oh, Willie," exclaimed his mother, "you have got a lot of ink upon your clothes. How will I ever get it off?"
"Wait a minute," replied Willie, "and I'll get papa's pen wiper."

Margie: If you don't quit teasing me I'll tell mamma, and she's tell papa, and then papa will whip you.
Harry: Then I'll cry and grandma will give me some candy, and I won't give you any.

Harry, aged 4, was puzzled by the perspiration dripping from the brow of the gardener who was mowing the lawn. Being unable to solve the mystery to his satisfaction, he finally asked: "Say, John, what makes your head leak so?"—Chicago News.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS FROM TODAY IN ST. LOUIS

BY O. B. JOYFUL.

(From the Post-Dispatch of Jan. 18, 1930.)

A few choice friends of Ex-Senator "Snake" Kinney assembled at his residence in Westmoreland place last night to celebrate the 25th anniversary of his maiden appearance in the State Senate, when he introduced the bills which became laws these many years ago, providing for a public school in the St. Louis House of Refuge and compulsory education throughout the state. These bills, it is said, were both drawn by the State Board of Charities and Correction, but it was owing to Senator Kinney's high and established reputation as a friend of education that he was chosen to present them to the attention of the distinguished body of which he was then a member. It is a source of profound gratification to Senator Kinney to know that, after 25 years, the educational system of which he was the foster father, if not the actual parent, is still unshakable, and that through its beneficent influence thousands of young Missourians are being saved from illiteracy every year. For several years before he was elevated to the State Senate Mr. Kinney had been such a friend to the cause of education that in his ward, the Fourth, no young man ever arrived at the age of 21 years without being so thoroughly equipped in knowledge pertaining to civil government, for example, that he could read a ballot quicker and oftener and get in and out of a voting booth faster than a resident from any other portion of the city. In fact, it was the popularity he attained among his grateful young friends at that time that made him able to get there by increased Democratic vote of 800 per cent at the very moment "The Mysterious Stranger" was eloping with Missouri.

In the days of Thomas Kinney
Did his hosts with triumph whinny?
Did his tally sheets look skinny?
Come again!

Mayor Kalter Aufschnitt has finally decided to appoint George Munson city snow inspector. There were more than a dozen applicants for the job—whose names it would be unfair to give at this time, since they failed to stand the test—but after a careful consideration of the kind of man who was to be selected to inspect the city's snow, with a view to keeping it pure and clean at all times for eating purposes, the mayor came to the conclusion that he could do no better than to bestow this place upon Mr. Munson.

"Ah," exclaimed the new snow inspector, as he gazed around him at the circling coal smoke, which it will be his duty to keep out of the snow, "this job just soots me!"

Instinctively he ducked, as if dodging a missile, but as this speech happened to be a soliloquy, rather than a joke for exhibition purposes, nobody got next, and no commotion was aroused.

## NEW YORK NEWSPAPER VIEWS.

### Editorial Comment by Leading Journals on This Morning's News.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Divorce is so prevalent that Dr. Felix Adler's analysis of matrimony concerns numerous couples. He opposes divorce, not on the ground of individual happiness but for its [illegible] effect. "Happiness is not the [illegible] of marriage," is his major premise, [illegible] real end is the promotion of the [illegible] moral growth."

Commenting on this, the World [illegible]: "Doubtless a majority of divorces [illegible] from a desire to remarry in the [illegible] of a possible happiness which the [illegible] marriage has not realized. Incom[illegible]ity alone does not necessitate [illegible] Separation is more decent and not [illegible] retrievable step.

"Many women and some men [illegible] matrimony as a bargain to be re[illegible] if it is bad and to be kept if nothing better turns up. Even from this point of view a bargain is a bargain, and mistakes in judgment are no valid ground for its revocation.

"As Dr. Adler ably says, 'There is often incompatibility between the parents and children. Why not propose divorce there?'"

If the Pope can put the revolutionary habit under the ban in South America, he will have the gratitude of the whole world.—Tribune.

### Socialism of Immigrants.

The Sun pokes fun at the immigration commissioners for turning back William Bishop, an English boiler maker, who had frankly admitted belief in the theories of socialism as preached by Karl Marx.

"He is sent home because the special board of inquiry does not know the difference between socialism and anarchism," says the Sun.

"We warn Mr. George Bernard Shaw not to attempt to land in these United States. Inspector Ryan would return him as the original package at once. Shaw is not only a Socialist, but he is a vegetarian, an anti-tobacconist, an anti-everythingist, a jeerer of respectabilities, a maker of epigrams, paradoxes and trouble. If Ryan gets hold of Shaw, there will be flying of fur.

"Legislation smacking of socialism finds favor at Washington and in both great parties, and municipal socialism increases steadily. It is queer to see the government kicking out a humble Socialist while socialism silently makes its way among Republicans and Democrats without their knowing it."

### Railroads and Politics.

The Times thinks the railways would go into politics with a vengeance should Mr. Roosevelt's theories of governmental—or [illegible] is put—presidential control of freight [illegible] ever become a law. "It is probable, [illegible]ever, that under such a statutory policy we should most of the time have railroad presidents pure and simple," says the Times. "The railroads would be under the imperative necessity of making common cause, and of attempting by a union of effort and of influence to control the presidential election. Their self-preservation would be achieved in that way with less trouble than under the present system, which requires them to deal with the governors and legislatures of 45 states."

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

### Thanks for Public Service.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Allow me to offer my most hearty thanks for the collection for which your paper was the first to start the subscription. I last week received a check for $2000 from the fund collected by the press from the public. My husband, Detective Thomas Dwyer, was killed on Pine street some time past. The money was divided between the three officers' families. I, therefore, wish to thank your paper for what they have done for myself and children.

MRS. MARY G. DWYER.

This refers to the tragedy which occurred Oct. 21, 1904, at 1324 Pine street, when Detectives Dwyer, Shea and McCluskey were shot down in a battle with train robbers. The Post-Dispatch immediately started a fund for the relief of the widows and orphans, heading it with a contribution of $100. The Post-Dispatch fund reached a total of $3443.65 on Oct. 30, of which $2421.50 was realized from the Post-Dispatch entertainment given in Music Hall Oct. 27, at which all the theatrical performers then playing in St. Louis starred. The total fund, which amounted to $6776.45, was distributed by the police board.—(Ed. Post-Dispatch.)

### Women in Street Cars.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Does Maud Merrill think that we, as mothers, are going to teach our sons that all women are equ[illegible] [illegible] you imagine [illegible] be place[illegible] a level wi[illegible] wome[illegible] [illegible] modesty and gentleness of years ago, then alone can we expect the true courtesy our grandmother demanded. The time has passed when a true woman expects of a strange man the chivalry of long ago. Men have been driven by the utter lack of womanhood, by the unflinching boldness of some so-called women, to make the change. Can an honest, loving son treat one of these with true gentlemanly feeling and at the same time think of his mother? No; we teach them that we are different; we wish them to think differently of us.

East St. Louis. MATILDA BROWN.

### The State's Accounts.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

For a number of years past I have read in the Globe-Democrat charge after charge of crookedness in the state books. A denial of each charge has appeared in the Republic.

If there is anything requiring legislative investigation, is it not the proper thing for the Republican officials to find the irregularities and issue the information for the benefit of all persons in Missouri.

X. Y. Z.

### Stop the Cruelty.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In the name of humanity, I call your attention to the treatment of animals that are used on many of the coal wagons in our city. It apparently makes no difference the kind of weather or the condition of the streets, they are overloaded, and, on the ice-covered streets, smooth shod, are expected to pull a full load whether they are able to stand up or not.

We boast of our civilization and progression, but if these poor animals could talk we would hear something fearful for man to contemplate. If it w[illegible] [illegible]mething that [illegible] perform some other kind of service on the Sabbath.

I think this working on the principle that there are more animals left where these come from, no matter how soon these are killed in doing the work, is a poor idea and a losing one in regard to economy, to say nothing about the brutality shown in the treatment of them.

There is certainly a large field for the Humane Society to work in.

A SYMPATHIZER.

### Old Age Pensions.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The man at 55, if well preserved, is capable of giving at least 20 years of good, capable service; and yet some employers claim he has passed the age of usefulness. He is turned out with the trumped up charge of being too old. It seems to me, that such employers are doing much to render pensions by the state necessary, as all other conditions combined. I have no patience with these old age "barkers." A man is not old in years, until he is at least 90 or 100.

Count not the passing years;
Look not to the future with fears;
Live only in the eternal now,
And time will not sere thy brow.

G. W. T.

### A Good Example.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Yes, one can see and learn very much at an exposition. Do you know what Germany did? She had the steps and ascents up to the Cascades and to the Deutsch Haus cleared of snow and ice and spread on this r[illegible]way fine soft ashes—without any piec[illegible] of half-burned coal or coke in [illegible] [illegible]amed, people of St. Louis.

DAILY READER.

# THE RISE OF ROSE

## A ST. LOUIS DEPARTMENT STORE ROMANCE

BY IVAN WHIN, THE AUTHOR OF "MYRA"

*Complete in seven chapters, running exclusively in the Post-Dispatch, from Monday to Sunday inclusive.*

**GUESS THE REAL NAMES OF THE CHARACTERS.**

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

Rose Wiegand enters the department store of Vallamberg, Carney & Carr as a cash girl. On her first day she saves a saleswoman from a murderous attack by a jealous husband and attracts the notice of Richard Carr—who is called "the young boss" in spite of his white hair, but because he is the junior in the firm—of Owen Balheugh, "Old Ballyhoo," who is Carr's right-hand man, and "of Michael Gannon, or "Fireworks," who employs the help. She is determined to make her fortune and advances from one position to another, becoming in time an expert in disposing of goods for which there seems to be no demand. She organizes a co-operative savings association among the girls in the store. One day she discovered that Francis Ehlert, a clerk in the office, is stealing; he, in revenge, starts a run of depositors on her. Gannon comes to her rescue and stops the run and as a result the "Rose Wiegand Bank" becomes a department in the Vallamberg, Carney & Carr store.

### CHAPTER III.

### "I Have No Time for Love."

ROSE was not entrusted with the financial management of the banking department, that was undertaken by Owen Balheugh. She devoted her energies to getting deposits and developing a plan under which small dealers and agents for out-of-town shoppers who had formerly bought goods in the store on limited lines of credit became borrowers from the bank and bought for cash. The ingenuity of the scheme astounded Richard Carr and Owen Balheugh when she presented it. They stared at each other silently for a moment and then Carr gave assent and sent her away.

Had she returned a moment later she would have seen the two old men slapping each other's backs and laughing insanely.

"Was there ever such a woman since the days of Eve?" spluttered "Old Ballyhoo."

"The young boss" swore that if he were 20 years younger he would marry the girl and make a fortune. His mere million seemed suddenly insignificant.

"She has the financial genius of a Rockefeller," he said. "All she needs is a hint from her own or someone else's experience and out comes a plan that shames us all for simplicity. Think of transferring the risk of credit accounts from the firm to volunteers and making a profit out of the transaction. Balheugh, you'll have to sit at that girl's feet or I'll put her in your position."

The bank prospered. Customers became depositors and instead of drawing checks bought goods which were charged against their deposits. Many were induced by added interest to deposit weekly sums which were not to be withdrawn until December, when they would need the money in Christmas shopping. Beginning with the first of December Rose showered such depositors with advertising matter telling of all the goods contained in the store that were suitable for Christmas presents and urged withdrawals of deposits with feverish energy.

Balheugh's cautious soul was horrified at the rapid depletion of the bank's balance, but Carr smiled at his fears, taking note of the early rush of Christmas trade which could also directly traced to Rose's campaign.

As the holiday approached Rose changed the direction of her effort and securing the consent of Carr claimed space in the newspaper advertising of the store for little sermons on economy. The ad-writer of the store furiously fought her innovations, again and again he appealed to Carr, but the young boss had faith in the girl.

"She'll ruin the Christmas trade," Frank Putnam declared.

"Can't," said Carr briefly. "Nothing but a fire could stop it now."

So each day the page advertisement of Vallamberg, Carney & Carr in the Post-Dispatch bore across its top in large type Poor Richard maxims such as "If you know how to spend less than you get, you have the philosopher's store" or light purse, heavy heart," or "All things are cheap to the saving, dear to the wasteful," or "a penny saved is a penny clear; a pin a day is a groat a year;" save and have; every little makes a pickle. And following those sayings were carefully written, suggestive amplifications of the text, always carrying with them advice to deposit Christmas gifts of money in the Vallamburg, Carney & Carr bank that they might become the basis of fortunes. Before New Year's day the bank had a comfortable balance which continued to grow until Owen Balaugh complained that half his time was occupied in putting the bank's money into safe loans that would earn a proper percentage of profit.

Putnam was a bright young man. He had begun as a bundle boy on the firm's delivery wagons and gained there the sobriquet of "Fresh," which stuck to him after he had been modified by the hazing of impatient drivers and other bundle boys. His ads. were smart and catchy. He was very proud of his work and no labor was too great for him that would enhance the drawing power of an advertisement. When department heads complained, as they often do, Carr answered almost invariably: "Putnam is very much interested in his work." To the frail old remnant of the great firm this fact seemed to be the mantle that covered all sins.

The young man knew of this favor, and, notwithstanding many an uncomfortable five minutes in the private office, was wont to presume upon his standing in his employers' graces. Hence to be overruled by a girl was bitter. He treated her with scant courtesy, while her manner toward him after her point had been gained was full of feminine deference, which he at first ascribed to a desire to placate him and gain further "favors." After a time he grew to believe that she had been impressed by his great abilities and good looks. Mortified by this he grew to appreciate two facts: That she was the prettiest girl in the store and that she enjoyed the favor of Carr to a remarkable degree.

Rose was glad to see evidences of returning friendliness. He was one of her oldest acquaintances and her soul abhorred enmities. She wanted to be friends with all the world.

Frank's sense of conquest grew on her added tenderness. He stopped often at her little wired-in private office in the "bank" and talked of business. He submitted his catchiest advertising ideas for her praise and gradually grew to depend unconsciously upon her advice.

It must be confessed that Rose had inherited from her Irish mother the gift of the smooth tongue and a tendency to blarney. If her praise were greater than her judgment of Frank's work justified the blame rests upon this inheritance. It grew to be meat and drink to him and from a contemptuous acceptance of what he assumed was offered affection his attitude toward her changed and love blossomed in his heart.

One day he brought his mother to Rose's cage, a fine little woman, fitted to be the mother of the successful man he was to become. She had heard much of the wonderful Rose and regarded her not at all seriously, but as the first object of her young son's affection. To please Frank she invited Rose to a small reception at her home and Rose, who had grown a little envious of girls to whom such social pleasures were common, gladly accepted.

"Frank's first sweetheart," Mrs. Putnam whispered behind her fan to one of her guests and watched the pair with humorous wrinkles about her kind eyes.

"A very pretty girl," said Mrs. Leighton," but who is she?"

"Just one of the girls in Vallamburg's. Frank says she is a marvel of business ability."

"A shop girl," said Mrs. Leighton. "My dear Mrs. Putnam."

"Hush. Didn't I tell you it was only first love."

"Ah, but some men marry their first love," Mrs. Leighton said with a sentimental sigh.

Mrs. Putnam checked her fan and stared at Rose a moment. "I don't know that I would object if Frank did," she said soberly.

There were few young folks there and these separated from the other guests instinctively and held court in Mrs. Putnam's small back parlor, whence their laughter came continuously to their elders whose solemn converse chilled the bright little hostess and made her long to be with "the children." She noted with exasperation that Rose was the center of the young group, that Frank was perpetually gazing on her smiling rapidly or laughing immoderately, at her witty sayings.

Presently one of the young men drew her to the piano. "Sing it, Miss Wiegand," he urged. "I can play a decent accompaniment."

Rose went willingly and sang with delightful expression but very simply in a sweet, low voice, "Kitty of Colerame." She was very arch in the saucy conclusion:

> Does business training unfit a woman for home life?
>
> Would you advise home training and early marriage for girls who have the natural ability required for business success?
>
> Which makes the best wives, girls who go from parents' to husband's care or those who have to earn their own livelihood for a time?
>
> What character in the story of "The Rise of Rose" do you most admire?
>
> Will Rose marry? and whom?

"Twas Aaymaking season. I can't tell the reason,
Misfortunes will never come single—that's plain,
For very soon after poor kitty's disaster
The devil a pitcher was wcole in Colerame.

After the applause had died way, Mrs. Putnam, whose eyes were dancing, heard the group about the piano pleading for another song, and Mrs. Leighton's shocked voice at here ear: "Did you hear her sing that awful word. My dear Mrs. Putnam, you must break it off. These shopgirls are so bold."

Mrs. Putnam laughed at her friend.

"What word. Wasn't her air of archness irrisitable? Oh, Miss Weigand, do sing again. You've charmed us all."

Rose did sing again, sang all her small repertoire of "Sally in Our Alley," "Sweet Nelly, My Heart's Delight," "Here's to the Maiden of Bashful Fifteen" and "Rory O'Moore," old, old songs, but good to hear when sung with her grace and keen appreciation of their sentiment and humor. Her audience was still clamorous, but she had no more to give, and so, in several keys, but with enthusiasm, they sang all the popular songs of the day, the obliging young man at the piano managing to accompany in some fashion all they wished to sing. The older people sat quietly listening, their faces alight with pleasure. Mrs. Putnam joined her voice to the chorus, although Mrs. Leighton looked her smiling decorous disapproval.

Frank accompanied Rose home, exhilerated by the music and the exercise of his own voice, and proud of the girl whose small social success had seemed his own triumph, so fast had his mind traveled toward possession of her.

They chattered of everything but business on the way, greatly to the increase of Rose's joy. She had never been in such a refined home before, but in a way she had left that she belonged there. Her circle of honest people lacked some graces, but she loved them dearly, and it was in no disparagement of them that she welcomed this short flight out of their sphere. She wanted even to forget the store that had been so long the center of her thoughts and the core of her heart.

Frank's elevation induced him to assume the attitude of a lover, and it was with no little skill of fence that she sent him away with his declaration of love unspoken and their pleasant friendship undisturbed. "I've no time for love," she thought.

"You'll be good and tired to be going to work the morrow's morn," said Mrs. Wiegand.

"Mother!" said Rose sharply, and then laughed. "Yes, it's after 12 o'clock, and I must go to work this morning, but oh, mother, it was fine to forget work entirely for four lovely hours. I forgot the store, forgot that I was not as those girls at Mrs. Putnam's who never earned a dollar in their lives——"

"And ye'll earned more of them than their fathers before ye'r done with it all," interrupted the proud mother. "But talk no more now. Sleep and dream about it all."

She did dream and strangely, as it seemed to her, Mrs. Leighton, whom she had only spoken to when introduced and had scarcely seen therafter, was a large figure in the dream, charging her with offenses which seemed terrible, but did not seem to have any definite character after all, and seeking to prevent her marriage to the obliging accompanyist, whose name she could not remember. To add to the distress of the situation, she was already married to Frank Putnam, a fact which Mrs. Putman found so funny that she could not stop laughing, even though Frank threatened to drown her in a punch bowl that was also a pitcher, with the living head of Miss Mills on the handle.

"You wise woman, read me this dream," she said to her mother at breakfast.

Mrs. Weigand listened to its recital without a smile. "Who's the Miss Mills," she asked.

"Just one of the girls who was there—a pretty girl with queer dark eyes and lots of real blonde hair."

"I bid you beware of her," said Mrs. Weigand briefly, and would say no more on the matter.

That afternoon the pretty girl with queer dark eyes and lots of real blonde hair was shopping shopping in Vallanberg, Carney & Carr's. She stopped a floorwalker on an impulse and asked where Miss Weigand might be found.

"Banking department, near the offices on the second floor," he said.

Miss Mills searched the bank with her eyes and presently located Rose directing several clerks in some work. The transformation was complete; the merry arch, saucy companion of Mrs. Putnam's small reception had vanished completely and here under the same name, in the same body as a cool, alert woman of business—a woman skilled in making money as was Esther Mills in spending it. A whim seized the young woman. She would become a depositor in the bank.

"May I speak to Miss Wiegand," she said to the girl who received her deposit and gave her a book in which the deposit was entered.

Rose came to the window. "you wish to see me?" she asked pleasantly and then with a flush, which made her inwardly furious at herself, she recognized Miss Mills. Oh, come to my private office."



"They Sang All the Popular Songs of the Day."

"Business fascinates me, Miss Mills," she said. "Why it is carried on and how it is carried on is all such a mystery. Papa seems to think there is nothing like it in the world, but he will never tell me a word about it because he says "women have no business sense," yet Frank says you are 'a good business woman.'" She laughed gaily and Rose's laugh joined.

"'Old Ballyhoo'—I mean 'Mr. Balheugh'—says that I am 'a good business man,' and I hope I am. It has been the one great ambition of my life."

"That is another thing I can't understand. You know Frank talks a great deal of you, and I feel I have known you for years. Women don't have ambitions. That is so masculine, yet you are not masculine. I never met a girl who was more feminine."

"But women should have ambitions. I am ambitious to succeed in business, because that means the possession of money—a little thing that my family has never had. You who have money ought to be ambitious for something else."

"Perhaps you are right, and perhaps we have ambitions after all. I want to know some things better than I do and better than other persons. Do you know, I believe I should succeed as a decorator of houses. I have studied the subject, you might say, from infancy. I was very young when our home was built, and yet took part in the great discussion over the 'murrangements.' Ever since I have read and worked in that subject. If we should ever be poor I would test my knowledge on my wealthy friends."

Rose remembered a difficulty in the house-decorating department of which she had heard. A large order had been lost through the patron's contempt for the designers of that department. "Silly conventions are all they know," he had declared.

"Why not begin before misfortune comes. Prove the value of your talent," she urged.

"Oh, I have at home and in suggestions to friends."

"But in a larger way. Now, for instance, if I get a commission to decorate a fine residence, would you make a set of designs that would suit? We would pay you well, and I have known of very rich women who complained they did not have money enough."

"Wouldn't it be fun to show papa a big balance in bank," Miss Mills mused. "I believe he would admit that I was at least half as good as the son he never had."

When she was gone Rose hastened to see the manager of the house-decorating department and lay the scheme before him.

"Great," he said; "if she has the ability you say. I still got a string on old Rice; he hasn't placed his order and if I can get designs that will please him he'll do business with us."

Rose wrote a note to Miss Mills immediately, explaining the conditions and urging her to try her hand and her knowledge by submitting a set of preliminary designs.

The mood in which this found Esther Mills was favorable. She had a small room in a tower at the corner of the rambling, big house, which she called her studio. There she worked feverishly on four water color sketches, suggesting the treatment of the hall, drawing room, ball room and dining room of the great Rice mansion, which the eccentric old millionaire had built several years ago, but had not finished. The sketches showed pieces of detail and the color scheme, and were by no means so carefully done as had been the several sets that had been previously submitted to Rice, but there were no "silly conventions" in them and the manager glowed with pleasure when Rose brought them to him.

And when Rice saw them he was pleased and ordered the work done without an overburden of restrictions and conditions.

"Another good stroke, Rose," Richard Carr said. "How soon do you think you'll be able to take old Balheugh's place."

"Never," she said. There was a mist in her eyes when old Balheugh put his arm around her, and, in front of all the clerks, she kissed him.

That evening in the street car she read of the failure of Mills & Leidington, and knew that Esther Mills had not begun too early a course that promised to bring her money she would need.

Mrs. Wiegand listened to the story Rose told without a word of her usually voluble comment.

"Ye'll mind," she said, "that when ye called me a wise woman and asked me to read your dream I bid ye beware of that girl."

**To Be Continued in the Post-Dispatch Tomorrow.**

### Letters From Readers.

To Ivan Whin:

You ask, "Is it better for a girl to plan her life without thought of marriage or to look forward to a husband and home of her own?"

I would say under no condition discourage a girl from marriage after she is 30 years of age; it is all right for a girl to make her own living while she is young, but how long will it last till she be old? Yes, at 35 and 40 a single girl is old and withered away; then nobody wants her. Therefore, girls, dear girls, marry while you are young, before it is everlastingly too late. Don't go by looks. Find out his character and if he is a man that will work he can always support you.

There is many a girl working in stores and factories that are working from morning till night, and the most of them are working right hard and all they get is a living from it.

Could not they make a living with less than half that work if they were married?

Talk about blessed singleness. I think cursedness would sound more like it, as Bernard McFadden says.

If solid happiness we prize,
Within our breast this jewel lies,
And they are fools who roam.
The world has nothing to bestow,
From our selfishness our joys must flow,
And that dear but, our home.

Yes, there is no real happiness unless you are married and have a home, and, dear girls, let it be your first determination in life. Yours for real happiness,

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*Deaths, Burial Permits, Marriages and Births*

## DEATHS.

**BARBOUR**—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 16, Mrs. A. Barbour, wife of the late James C. Barbour and sister of the late Hon. William G. Hinman of Pontiac, Mich.
Funeral will take place from residence, 4063 Connecticut street, Wednesday, Jan. 18, at 2 p. m.
Pontiac and Detroit (Mich.) papers please copy.

**BAUMANN**—Entered into rest on Thursday, Jan. 17, 1905, after a lingering illness, John Baumann, aged 72 years, beloved husband of Margaret Baumann (nee Maushardt), and dear father of John, Adolph, Edward, William and Jacob Baumann, and Mrs. Emma O'Rourke and Louise Griesmann.
Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 19, at 1:30 p. m., from the family residence, 736 South Second street.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend.
Deceased was a member of Eva Lodge, No. 511, K. & L. of H.

**BAZZALLA**—After a long illness, on Jan. 17, at 2:15 p. m., Mrs. T. L. Bazzalla, beloved wife of T. L. Bazzalla, and mother of A. J. and Flora Bazzalla, aged 58 years.
Funeral from the family residence, 3422 Clark avenue, on Thursday, Jan. 19, at 2 p. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

**BREWER**—Entered into the spiritual life Tuesday, Jan. 17, at 1:30 a. m., at his residence, 3710 Olive street, William W. Brewer, in his 65th year.
Funeral services at the Church of the Divine Humanity, corner Spring and Delmar avenues, Thursday, at 2 p. m. Incineration private. Please omit flowers.

**BUTLER**—On Sunday, Jan. 15, 1905, Walter Butler, dearly beloved father of Mrs. Robert Kohlhauff (nee Butler) and father-in-law of Robert Kohlhauff, aged 69 years and 27 days.
Funeral Thursday, Jan. 19, at 1:30 p. m., from residence of his son-in-law, Robert Kohlhauff, 3535 California avenue. Funeral private.

**CLARKE**—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1905, at 8 a. m., Mary J. Clarke beloved sister of Mrs. Margaret Harrison and Mrs. Bridget O'Connor.
Funeral from family residence, 3118 Clark avenue, Thursday, Jan. 19, at 9 a. m., to St. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.
Friends are invited to attend.

**FINN**—Harry Finn, entered into rest at 4:30 p. m., Jan. 17, 1905, beloved son of Mrs. Liza Finn, and dear brother of Mrs. Ed. Gutwald and Miss Lily Finn, at the family residence, 607 North Sixth street, East St. Louis, Ill.
Funeral announcement later.

**GREEN**—On Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1905, at 7 o'clock a. m., Alice Green (nee Halley), beloved wife of James F. Green mother of Helen and Robert Green, aged 24 years.
The funeral will take place Friday, 20th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., from family residence, 1602 Helen street to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.
Edwardsville (Ill.) and Philadelphia (Pa.) papers please copy.

**GROSSHEIM**—Joseph F. Grossheim, age 33, at 3 p. m., Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1905, brother of Mrs. May Kelley (nee Grossheim), Mrs. Agnes Bringaze (nee Grossheim).
Buried Friday morning from 811 Centerville avenue and 9 o'clock from St. Mary's Church.
Belleville and Alton (Ill.) papers please copy.

**HUBER**—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1905, at 2:30 p. m., after a short illness, George Huber, beloved husband of Veronka Huber (nee Herman), and father of Annie Casey (nee Huber), Mamie Sievers (nee Huber), Margareta, Lena, Harry and George Huber, and father-in-law and grandfather at the age of 54 years 17 days.
Funeral from residence, 1311 South Eighth street, Thursday, Jan. 19 at 1:30 p. m.
Relatives and friends invited to attend.

**KELLEY**—On Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1905, at 9 a. m., Helen Marie Kelley, beloved daughter of J. T. and Sarah Kelley (nee Deppen), aged 1 year 5 months and 13 days.
Funeral from family residence, 4726 Maffitt avenue, Thursday, Jan. 19, at 2 p. m., to Calvary Cemetery.
Louisville papers please copy.

**KESPOHL**—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1905, at 8 p. m., Louis Kespohl, dearly beloved son of Maria Kespohl (nee Kampschaefer), after a lingering illness, at the age of 41 years.
Funeral from family residence, 1411 Chambers street. Due notice of funeral later.

**LOWRY**—Entered into rest on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1905, at 11:50 p. m., Bridget Lowry (nee White), beloved wife of Luke Lowry, and mother of Michael and John Lowry, and Mrs. James De Largy, Mrs. Charles Barton and Mrs. Kate McAuliffe.
Funeral will take place from the family residence, 305 Prospect avenue, on Friday, Jan. 20, 1905, at 8:30 o'clock a. m., to St. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.
Friends are respectfully invited.

**LYNCH**—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1905, at 4:30 a. m., [illegible] Lynch, beloved husband of Margaret Lynch and father of [illegible] Patrick, and James [illegible], Mrs. [illegible] Wall, Mrs. Michael Malone, and Mrs. Charles Lewis, 1526 North Twenty-second street.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

**MASTERBROOK**—On Sunday, Jan. 15, 1905, at 11 a. m., William Masterbrook, at the age of 73 years 11 months and 8 days.
Funeral will take place on Thursday, Jan. 19, at 10 o'clock a. m., from residence of Mrs. J. Stiles, 4820 Hammett Place.

**QUALEY**—Entered into rest on Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1905, at 12:30 a. m., Martin Qualey, beloved husband of Ellen Qualey (nee Nugent), and father of Nellie A. Qualey.
Funeral on Friday, Jan. 20, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 2715 North Broadway, to St. Michael's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.
Friends of family invited to attend.
Deceased was a member of Lindell Lodge, No. 211, A. O. U. W.
Dubuque and Burlington (Io.) papers please copy.

**SAVILLE**—Entered into rest on Monday, Jan. 16, 1905, at 11:35 p. m., Adelaide Saville, beloved mother of Annie Saville and Mrs. Florence Wagner (nee Saville).
Funeral will take place from residence of her daughter, Mrs. Florence Wagner, 1509 Agnes street, Thursday, Jan. 19, at 2 p. m.
Sheffield (England) papers please copy.

**STEPHENS**—Robert Stephens, aged 58 years 1 month and 2 days, died at his home, 4504 West Belle place, Wednesday, Jan. 18, 1905.
Funeral Friday, Jan. 20, at 2 p. m., from the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church, southeast corner Page and Euclid. Interment St. Peter's Cemetery.
Lyon (Kan.) and Huntingdon (Ind.) papers please copy.

**WALSH**—On Tuesday, Jan. 17, 1905, at 5 o'clock a. m., Mary Walsh (nee Heffernan), beloved wife of the late John Walsh.
The funeral will take place Thursday, Jan. 19, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 1112 Monroe street, to St. [illegible] Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. [illegible] invited to attend.

## DEATHS.

**WEIDNER**—Entered into rest on Jan. 17, 1905, at 2 p. m., after a brief illness, Helen S. Weidner, beloved daughter of William and May Weidner (nee Pearson).
Funeral will take place from family residence, 1600½ Cass avenue, Thursday, Jan. 18, 1905, at 2 p. m.

**WEINSBERG**—Entered into rest on Sunday, Jan. 15, at 5 p. m., at Jacksonville, Fla., Leola C., beloved daughter of George and Elizabeth Weinsberg.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

**WHELAN**—Entered into rest Jan. 16, 1905, at 11:30 p. m., after a brief illness, Mary Whelan (nee Meagher), beloved mother of Edward, John, Michael, Dennis and Mary Whalen, Mrs. Sarah Ryan, and Mrs. Kate McCourt; sister of Michael and Daniel Meagher.
Funeral Thursday, Jan. 19, at 9 a. m., from late residence, 3702 Easton avenue, to St. Alphonsus Rock Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends of the family invited to attend.

**Death notices received too late for classification will be found on page fifteen.**

## Burial Permits.

J. Sullivan, 62, Emergency Hospital; consumption.
L. Wheeler, 57, Female Hospital; pneumonia.
Andrew Kiehl, 82, 746 S. 4th; senile debility.
H. Barnes, 88, 700 N. 22d; pneumonia.
Susan C. Smith, 39, 1345 S. Grand; cancer.
Helena Landgraf, 48, 2619 Michigan; cancer.
G. Hurley, 57, St. Mary's Infirmary; consumption.
Mary Burke, 21, 1109 S. 12th; pneumonia.
E. E. Yorger, 43, 2614 N. Sarah; typhoid fever.
H. Oesterreicher, 88, 1814 S. Broadway; uremia.
A. Ludwig, 77, 3461 Oak Hill; heart disease.
G. W. Martin, 56, 820 N. 16th; la grippe.
E. Townsend, 56, Beaumont Hospital; pericarditis.
C. Sullivan, 52, 825 Wright; liver complaint.
J. S. Prophalus, 67, Rebekah Hospital; uremia.
Mary Wachter, 56, 1828 Sidney; pneumonia.
Emma Bartal, 21, 2017 Destrehan; appendicitis.
John Cleary, 61, 1625 Union; pneumonia.
Mary Judge, 50, 2026 Cass; Bright's disease.
P. Donaghan, 71, 2937 Thomas; heart disease.
Fred Jansom, 43, St. Mary's Infirmary; influenza.
John Nugent, 42, City Hospital; obstruction.
G. Manlik, 65, Alexian Brothers' Hospital; pneumonia.
Marion Skinner, 1, 1213 Grattan; gastritis.
W. W. Thompson, 1, 612 Holley; diphtheria.
M. Miller, 50, Female Hospital; consumption.
R. Gutke, 42, 2423 S. 2d; heart disease.
Mary Power, 68, 1816 Elliot; paralysis.

## Marriage Licenses.

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| John J. Murphy | 2834 Morgan st |
| Katharyne M. Sullivan | 2720 Thomas st |
| Dr. C. W. McMillan | Fort Ferry, N. Y. |
| Edna Williams | 2018 Blendon pl |
| Henry C. Burnett | 5519 Clemens av |
| Edith S. Ashly | 5881 Cates av |
| Philip Scheer | St. Louis County, Mo |
| Mrs. Virginia Verdin | St. Louis County, Mo |
| George Diebling | 2322 S. 18th st |
| Cora Klein | 220 Lafayette av |
| Frank S. Thurber | 4010 N. Grand av |
| Mary Bompart | 4010 N. Grand av |
| Austin Smiley | 2828 Easton av |
| Henrena Moore | 2743 Mills st |
| Lee S. Williams | 206 S. 16th st |
| Lizzie M. Bruce | 206 S. 16th st |
| Leo Schmoldt | 1801 Newstead av |
| Ida Wardlow | Memphis, Tenn |
| J. Marty | 4401 Virginia av |
| Bertha Lambert | 3205 Neosho st |
| William W. Pike | 2820 Park av |
| Hattie M. Douglass | 2820 Park av |
| C. K. Blackford | 3670 Laclede av |
| Mamie Werthelmer | 4286 Kossuth av |
| Fred C. Schwedtman | 3900 West Belle pl |
| Cora H. Gehner | 3630 West Pine bl |
| Charles P. Mason | 3430 Laclede av |
| Florence Whiting | Providence, R. I |
| George Moore | 3663 West Pine bl |
| Mrs. Louise Johnson | 3651 West Pine bl |
| Cecil Harbour | 2847 S. 3d st |
| Laura E. Girard | 2847 S. 3d st |
| Henry Wurm | 2221 College st |
| Mary G. Vollmer | 1321 Clark av |
| Charles Schmidt | 3412 S. 2d st |
| Mary Hoening | 620 S. Broadway |
| Frank Roth | 4129 Lexington av |
| Addie Gallagher | 4151 Ashland av |
| William Bissinger | Alton, Ill |
| Carrie Stierley | Alton, Ill |
| Herman Hending | 1518 Benton st |
| Minnie Kurtz | 1415 Warren st |
| Adolph Wedig | 3614 N. 10th st |
| Lizzie Koch | 1710 N. 13th st |
| B. Wohl | 5053 Kensington av |
| Cornelia Guttmann | 1245 Aubert av |
| James M. Churchill | Atlanta, Ga |
| Alice Buck | Atlanta, Ga |
| Archie Magruder | Jennings, Mo |
| Rose Smith | 1516 N. 22d st |

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## Record of Births.

Peter and Delia Clarke, 1120 Cass; boy.
Edward and W. Frust, 2623A Slattery; boy.
C. J. and E. Gambini, 3537 Salena; boy.
W. and Lillian Greer, 3956 Cottage; boy.
Edward and E. Kohrumel, 3616 Evans; boy.
Joseph and Helen Cooper, St. Louis; boy.
Herman and May Lepper, St. Louis; boy.
H. and C. Mantz, 1729 Ohio; boy.
John and K. Bacon, St. Louis, boy.
Henry and Annie Turner, St. Louis; boy.
R. and W. McIntire, 1108 S. 7th; boy.
A. J. and Jane Thomas, 4546 N. Broadway; boy.
J. and A. Boyd, St. Louis; girl.
Joseph and Mary Bohrer, 3742 Keokuk; girl.
John and Julia Douglass, 4027 Fairfax; girl.
James and H. Keelon, St. Louis; girl.
Earl and Louise Cannon, 2746A Rutger; girl.
Pius and Lottie Maier, 1817 S. Second; girl.
Ben and Sophie Metzner, 2019 S. 2d; girl.
William and Grace Moss, 4606A Delmar; girl.
James and Tillie Adams, St. Louis; girl.
Louis and Alvina Miller, St. Louis; girl.
John and Florence Hanston, St. Louis; girl.
John and Jessie Taylor, St. Louis; girl.
Harry and Willie Love, St. Louis; girl.
Alphonsus and Anna Sharkey, St. Louis; girl.
L. and H. Schumacher, 4222 Delor; girl.
Thomas and Louise Stock, 6012 Loretto; girl.
Lorentz and Theresa Spitz, 2913 Texas; girl.
Frank and Minnie Signaigo, St. Louis; girl.
R. M. and W. Trettner, 1124 N. 24th; girl.
Theodore and M. Thuemmel, 5305 Minnesota; girl.
E. and L. Van de Valle, 3428 Miami; girl.
R. J. and E. Weston, 4219 West Belle; girl.
M. and W. Sullivan, St. Louis; girl.

## THE BOOK EXCHANGE.

10 Words or Less, 10c.
(Each Additional Word, 1c.
Business Announcements, 10c a Line.

**SELL OR EXCHANGE THE BOOKS YOU HAVE READ**
For other books you desire.
Supply the missing volumes of your library.
Any drug store will receive your want ad. for the Post-Dispatch.
Exchange offers of books for books only accepted for this column.

BOOK WANTED—Will exchange "Middlemarch," By George Eliot, for book on electricity. Ad. H 154, Post-Dispatch. (4)

BEGINNER'S BOOK WANTED—On Spanish language. Ad. G 137, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BEGINNER'S BOOK WANTED—On French language. Ad. G 122, Post-Dispatch. (4)

BOOKS of all kinds bought and sold; call or send address to Mills' Book Store. 607 Chestnut. (8)

## PARTNERS WANTED.

14 Words, 20c.

PARTNER WANTED—$500 and services of reliable man (experience unnecessary) secures interest in manufacturing and office business; $200 of the above amount will go into the business to increase same; good opportunity for the right party; references exchanged. Ad. B 160, P.-D.

PARTNER WANTED—Widow with furniture wishes partner with capital in rooming house. Ad. B 117, Post-Dispatch. (3)

PARTNER WANTED—Lady wants lady partner in good paying business, at once. 3637 Easton.

PARTNER WANTED—Good business man has some quick, easy money lines; wants partner with money to put them out. Ad. B 118, Post-Dispatch. (3)

## BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS

14 Words, 20c.

AAAA1—Cheapest place in town for printing. McGill & Co., 121 N. 11th st. (14)

CHIMNEYS and furnaces cleaned; guaranteed to make them draw; postal. Muenninghaus, 2608 S. [illegible] av.

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## LOST AND FOUND.

14 Words, 20c.

**IF YOU LOSE ANYTHING**
ADVERTISE IT HERE.
IT WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU IF AN HONEST PERSON FINDS IT.
Remarkable recoveries are brought about every day through this column. All druggists receive Want Ads for the Post-Dispatch at office rates.

AIRBRUSH—Lost, airbrush in Garrick Theater Saturday evening; return to Murillo's, 1314 Olive st.; reward.

BUCKLE—Lost, gun-metal buckle with peacock eye and peacock belt, on Maryland or Suburban car; reward if returned. 4490 Lindell bl.

BUFFALO ROBE—Lost, 7 p. m. Monday, between Suburban tracks and Home Pharmacy, Wellston; finder will please return to Home Pharmacy and receive $5 reward; no questions asked.

DIAMOND—Lost, diamond, about 1-k., set in stud spiral screw broken off; reward to finder. S. D. Vogel, 1440 N. Main.

DOG—Lost, white and sable Scotch collie; reward. Engine House No. 2, 3d and St. Charles.

DOG—Lost, strayed or stolen, fox terrier bitch, with with brown ears; liberal reward if returned to 1004 Olive st.

DOG—Lost, female bull terrier, white; 6 months old; long ears; reward. 903½ N. Compton.

DOG—Lost, strayed or stolen, black male cocker spaniel, on Jan. 14, answers to name of Billy; address on collar. Return Mrs. Joel Wood, 4401 Westminster, and receive $10 reward.

DOG—Lost, a white French poodle. Reward if returned to John Martens, 3005 Parnell.

EYEGLASSES—Lost, between Easton av. and Riddick's school, one pair gold glasses, in Aloe's case; reward if returned. 4035 Easton.

GLOVE—Lost on Broadway, fur glove. Return 1301 Hickory st. and receive reward.

GLOVES—Lost, Monday afternoon, between Vandevoort's and Grand-Leader, pair tan (lady's) kid gloves. Reward if returned to room 516 Security bldg.

GOATS—Lost or strayed, 3 goats, 1 male, 2 females, of woolly appearance; return and receive reward. 2112 Sidney st.

HORSE—Lost, strayed or stolen, 1 white horse about 15½ hands high; please notify Diamond Store, 3421 Olive st.

MEDAL—Lost, gold medal for Christian doctrine. Return to 617 N. 6th st. and receive reward.

MUFF—Lost, sealskin muff, downtown; reward if returned to Post-Dispatch.

MUFFLER—Lost, white silk muffler, in public library. Return to 18 N. 3d st., upstairs; reward.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, in Washington av. 10-cent store, Monday afternoon, small pocketbook, containing small metal locket with glass case of value to nobody but owner. Liberal reward if returned to B. J. Halloran, 1600 Cass av.

PURSE—Lost, near Chouteau and Grattan, purse containing eyeglasses and small amount of money; reward. 1011 Grattan st.

PURSE—Lost, on Lansdowne car, Tuesday morning, small black purse, containing $23 in bills; return to the Berlin, 123 Collinsville av., East St. Louis; reward. (4)

PURSES—Lost, two purses, between St. Louis and Glasgow or 2702 St. Louis av., or in Cass av. car. Return to 1405 N. Broadway. Name in one purse, Charles Flimm; other containing stamped pictures and money; valuable papers in both; receive reward.

WATCH—Lost, lady's gold watch, Jan. 7, Bundescore Hall; liberal reward. 4363 De Soto av.

WATCH—Lost, Tuesday, Jan. 17, lady's gold watch, B. G., 1901; baby's picture inside case; liberal reward. 4322 Delmar bl.

WATCH—Lost, lady's open-face gold watch, with monogram E. A. R. on back; Park, between Mississippi and Jefferson, Tuesday evening, about 5 p. m. Reward if returned to 2340 Park av.

WATCH AND PIN—Lost, Jan. 9, between corner 28th and Washington and 29th and Olive, watch and pin. Return to 2804 Locust st. for reward.

### Lost.

FOUND—A place where you can get the best boys' and men's shoes in St. Louis, $2.50 to $4. Harris Shoe Co., 407 N. 6th st. (16)

HORSE—Found, Jan. 7, 1905, sorrell horse, hitched to light spring wagon. Call 2826 N. Grand av.

RING—Found, baby's ring on Broadway. 607 S. Broadway.

## HELP WANTED—MALE.

14 Words, 20c.
Business Announcements, 15c a Line.

BAKER WANTED—Bread and cakes. Gobrecht, 510 N. Sarah st.

BAKER WANTED—First-class all-round cake and bread baker; steady position; conscientious. Ad. R 44, Post-Dispatch. (4)

BAKER, ETC., WANTED—Hotel baker and pastry cook; $60; Texas. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

BARBER WANTED—German preferred. 1027 Emmet st.

BELLMAN WANTED—Head bellman; $40; room and board. Ad. Z 29, Post-Dispatch. (3)

BELL BOY WANTED—228 N. Taylor av. Parkhurst apartments.

Puritan vampers and Goodyear stitchers. Roberts, Johnson & Rand. Hickory st. factory. (4)

BLACKSMITH WANTED—A first-class blacksmith; steady job. Raney's Carriage Works, St. Joseph, Mo. (4)

BOILERMAKERS AND MACHINISTS.
Nonunion, with railroad experience; good wages and steady work; free transportation. Apply room 3, 113 N. 6th st. (3)

BOYS WANTED—To work in can factory; must be 14 years of age. Brecht B. S. Co., 1210 Mullanphy st. (3)

BOYS WANTED—14 to 16 years old; $3 to $4 per week. Factory, 2020 N. 15th st.

BOY WANTED—For horseshoeing; one with experience preferred. 1627 Dolman st.

BOY WANTED—A bright office boy, 14 to 17 years; references required. Ad. B 200, Post-Dis.

BOYS WANTED—14 years of age. Mengel Box Co., Folsom and Lawrence. (8)

BOYS WANTED—Who want a mannish shoe should try Harris' $2.50 shoes, 407 N. 6th st. (16)

BOYS WANTED—Between 14 and 15 years old. Granite Iron Rolling Mill, 2d and Destrehan. (83)

BOYS WANTED—Immediately, to learn telegraphing, day or evening; good pay. 102 N. 3d st., room 303.

BOY WANTED—For the Robbe & Nelan Reversible Window Co. Office, 817 Century bldg.

BOY WANTED—15 or 16 years old; one who has some experience in sign shop preferred. Ad. B 26, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—16 or 17 years old, to work in showcase factory. M. A. Hekman Mfg. Co., 13th and Rutger.

BOY WANTED—Strong boy, about 16. Louis C. Hesse, 316-18 Market st.

BOY WANTED—Neat colored boy, to work around house. 2001 Lucas av.

BOY WANTED—A bright boy, 16 to 20 years of age, for buying in city; familiar with drugs and stationery; references. Moffitt-West Drug Co.

BOY WANTED—Apply 2810 Easton av., at once; light work; good pay.

BOY WANTED—Negro boy, about 18, for porter work; $6 week. Saml. F. Myerson Printing Co., 3d and Chestnut.

BOY WANTED—A boy to turn up channels on McKays, in sole leather room. Tennent Shoe Co., 23d and O'Fallon.

BOY WANTED—Bright bundle boy, 14 years old. Apply second floor, Mills & Averill, Broadway and Pine.

BOY WANTED—First-class colored house and dining room boy. 3908 Westminster pl.

CARPENTER WANTED—Hotel house carpenter, city; steady work. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

CARRIAGE BODY MAKERS WANTED—Embree-McLean Carriage Co. (4)

CHAIR MAKERS WANTED—Lathe turners, driving-up men and all grades of factory work of everydescription; new factory at Decatur, Ill.; the most enterprising city in the West; 80 miles of paved streets; fine parks, splendid buildings, pretty homes, everybody happy; center of the great corn belt, and farm land is worth $200 an acre; modern brick factory with every known appliance in the chair-making craft; ask local St. Louis machine men about it; address fully, giving experience, present employment, wages; free transportation given. Ad. Supt. Chair Factory, corner William and Broadway st., Decatur, Ill. (9)

CHIPPERS WANTED—At night. Commonwealth Steel Co., Granite City, Ill. Apply 6:30 p. m. (5)

CLERK WANTED—Experienced grocery clerk; German preferred. Apply southeast corner 15th and Mullanphy.

CLERK WANTED—Experienced mercantile [illegible] must be active, industrious and [illegible] Post-Dispatch. (8)

CLERK WANTED—A reliable grocery clerk; refs.; good wages. Ad. G 1, P.-D.

COACHMAN WANTED—Colored coachman; must be competent driver; references required. 4468 Washington bl.

COOK WANTED—Man capable of holding position as chef in downtown restaurant. Ad. G 22, Post-Dispatch.

COOK WANTED—Man night cook, in restaurant. 3839 Easton av.

CUTTERS WANTED—First-class cutters on men's fine shoes. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

CUTTERS WANTED—First-class shoe cutters on men's fine shoes. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand, 13th and Mullanphy sts. (8)

CUTTERS WANTED—Lining cutters on men's and women's shoes. Peters Shoe Co., No. 4, Jefferson and St. Louis.

CUTTERS WANTED—Fast shoe cutters. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., Jefferson and Randolph. (5)

DIE SETTER WANTED—For bolt machine. Apply 2800 De Kalb st. (5)

DRIVER WANTED—Young man in meat market to drive wagon. Bechtold, 2805 Meramec.

DRIVER WANTED—Experienced driver; references. Ad. G 130, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER WANTED—For laundry wagon; must have experience. National Laundry Co., 3401 Laclede av. (3)

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Junior drug clerk with one or two years' experience. Delmar and Taylor.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Junior drug clerk or boy with some experience. 3201 Franklin av.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Junior drug clerk; three or four years' experience; references. Ad. G 81, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Registered or not; capable; state salary expected; references. Ad. G 86, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Experienced junior drug clerk. 1801 Olive. (6)

ELECTRICIAN WANTED—One who understands armature and field windings; married man preferred. Ad. T 56, Post-Dispatch.

ERRAND BOY WANTED—In printing office; must be 14 years of age. 907 N. 14th st.

FEEDERS WANTED—Machine feeders at Christian Peper Tobacco Co., 1st and Morgan sts. (4)

FURNACEMAN WANTED—Honest, sober man to attend furnace and do chores for room and board. 2949 Dayton.

GEARBUILDERS WANTED—First-class gearbuilders and woodworkers. The Banner Buggy Co., 3d and Chouteau av. (3)

GROCERY CLERK WANTED—To make himself useful in store and bar; married man preferred; can live in building. Call at 5700 N. Broadway.

HOSTLER WANTED—At 4102 Manchester av.

HOUSEBOY WANTED—Boy for general housework; colored preferred. 3069 Locust.

HOUSEMAN WANTED—Good houseman. Hotel Castlewood, 5181-85 Delmar bl.

HOUSEMAN WANTED—$35 per month, room and board; must have first-class references. Apply rear St. Louis Club, 3663 Lindell.

JOB PRESSMAN WANTED—Reliable, experienced in cutting paper stock; good position for right man; $15 week; state experience and give references. Ad. B 97, Post-Dispatch.

KEEP your feet dry; $5 men's genuine cork sole shoes $1.98; best waterproof made. 712 Washington av.

LABORERS WANTED—Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill. (8)

LIKE finding dollars, Wednesday and Thursday, men's Regent shoes, $1.50; save $2. 712 Washington av.

MACHINIST WANTED—Good machinist for very close work, comprising milling and grinding; state age, education, experience, rate per hour and places previously employed. Ad. T 95, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN WANTED—Young man experienced in tinshop work. Apply at Mound Coffin Co., 2000 N. 2d st.

MAN WANTED—Young man, to learn the barber trade; splendid opportunity. Ad. B 120, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN WANTED—Young man to help on peddler's wagon; $3 per week; board. 1026 Papin st.

MAN WANTED—Experienced colored house and dining room man; bring references. 3663 West Pine bl.

MAN WANTED—Handy with carpenter's tools. Sieber & Trussell Mfg. Co., 4000 Laclede.

MAN WANTED—To handle the best selling article out; some samples; $4 a day for reliable party. Call 1413 Market st.

MAN WANTED—Allround man, in saloon. 315 Locust st.

MAN WANTED—To work in bakery and coffee house. 116 N. 12th st.

MAN WANTED—Young man to deliver orders and take care of horses. 5500 Easton.

MAN WANTED—Young man, about 18, to assist in real estate office; state references. Ad. Z 34, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Young man between 17 and 20 years of age. 2d and Destrehan sts. (88)

MAN WANTED—For light mfg. work; must invest $15. Call today. 107 N. 15th st. (3)

MATTRESS MAKER WANTED—A first-class mattress maker on felt mattresses. Nichols Folding Felt Mattress Co., 2221 St. Charles st.

MEN WANTED—Ninth and Arsenal sts. Carroll Contracting Co.

MEN WANTED—To try Harris' Polar Colt Shoes; waterproof; $4. 407 N. 6th st. (16)

MEN WANTED—Five men in morning. Euclid and McPherson. McNamee & Son.

MEN WANTED—To sell goods on passenger trains; steady work; through daylight runs; experience not necessary; good openings. Apply to Mr. Jorden, Railway News office, 2009 Walnut st.

MEN WANTED—Young men, everywhere, copy letters, home evenings, $9.50 week; send addressed envelope for particulars. Manager Dept. W 151, Box 1411, Philadelphia, Pa.

MEN WANTED—To get their measure taken for $12.50 suits and $3 pants. Klein, 1617 Market st. (36)

MEN—We teach the barber trade in few weeks by our method; now is the time to learn; positions guaranteed; board provided; can nearly earn expenses before completing; call or write. Moler Barber College, 1110 Pine st. (5)

MEN WANTED—To learn telegraphy for railway positions. Apply Railroad Telegraph School, 1315 Pine st. (4)

MEN WANTED—To act as managers of branch cash grocery stores; under the Luyties system; good salary; must be willing to invest from $500 to $1000 and share in the profits; references. Luyties, 6th and Franklin av., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

OFFICE BOY WANTED—A good office boy. Ad. T 53, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER WANTED—For iron beds. Apply 2d and Cass.

PAPER HANGER WANTED—Fast ingrain paper hanger. 1620 S. Compton av.

PORTER WANTED—Colored porter; must understand steam heater and be a worker; large hotel.

PORTER WANTED—For saloon; one with knowledge of cooking. 2900 Easton.

PRESSER WANTED—On vests. 325 Olive, second floor.

PRIVATE diseases a specialty; satisfaction guaranteed. Market St. Dispensary, 14th and Market sts. (14)

RATTAN WORKERS WANTED—Rattan workers and woodworkers on baby carriages. Ad. Lloyd Mfg. Co., Minneapolis, Minn. (5)

SALESMEN WANTED—$25 per week and traveling expenses paid salesmen to sell to grocery dealers; experience unnecessary. Purity Co., Chicago. (83)

**SHOEMAKERS WANTED**
Puritan vampers and Goodyear stitchers.
ROBERTS, JOHNSON & RAND,
Hickory st. factory. (4)

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Shank inker and shank brusher. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

STITCHERS, ETC., WANTED—Two Goodyear stitchers, two boys to lay down channels, two boys to cement channels, one automatic leveler on men's welts; also porter. Apply Mr. J. E. Fagan, Brown Shoe Co., 18th and Wash.

WANTED—Shoe workers to stay away from Chicago; trouble there. M. T. Fishive, business agent joint council No. 13. (6)

TACKSETTER WANTED—On men's fine welts. Hamilton-Brown, 21st and Locust. (5)

TAILOR WANTED—Smart man with some experience at tailoring. 2947 Cass av.

TAILORS WANTED—Ladies' and gents' tailors; full-paying positions. 3560 Olive st. (8)

TRIMMER, ETC., WANTED—Inseam trimmer, one Goodyear stitcher, 1 heel shaver. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand Shoe Co., 13th and Mullanphy. (4)

WATCHMAKER WANTED—Experienced watchmaker; must have tools. Call 1828 N. Grand.

YARDMAN WANTED—A good white yardman for coal yard. Apply 1020 Clark av.

## HELP WANTED—MALE.

14 Words, 20c.
Business Announcements, 15c a Line.

WIRE WORKER WANTED—A first-class wire worker to take charge of our wire working department; must be sober, industrious, intelligent and a fast worker; permanent position to right party; man of family preferred; write with full references, Texas Anchor Fence Co., Fort Worth, Tex. (7)

YOUNG MEN, 20 to 30, strong, good sight and hearing, for firemen and brakemen; Missouri and other railroads; firemen, $65 monthly, become engineers and average $125; brakemen, $60, become conductors and average $105; name position preferred; send stamp for particulars. Railway Association, room 122, 227 Monroe st., Brooklyn, N. Y. (83)

ANY intelligent person may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary; send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y. (3)

A LIFE-SIZE picture free with each dozen photos at the When Studio, 1631 Franklin av.; telephone C917. (8)

## AGENTS WANTED.

14 Words, 20c.

AGENTS WANTED—To sell the world's greatest gaslight; sells everywhere on sight; agents make from $35 to $75 per week. Milltom Gaslight Co., 1626 Chemical bldg. (3)

AGENTS WANTED—To sell household specialties. $18 to $20 weekly; it is money in your pocket to investigate. 1115 Olive st., 5th floor. Conrey Bros. (5)

AGENTS WANTED—To sell the best new article on the market; indispensable to bankers, brokers and business men; sells at sight; customers once, customers always; self-addressed stamped envelope; out-of-town agents wanted. Ad. T 28, Post-Dispatch. (4)

AGENTS WANTED—To sell patent to grocers; $3 to $5 per day. 2118 Locust st., 6 to 9 p. m. (36)

AGENTS WANTED—Ten good agents; new ticket make $10 a day. Olive Studio, 720 Olive. (3)

AGENTS—Exp. men to sell new ticket; just out; agents make $10 daily. Genelli, 506 Olive st. (8)

LADIES without experience can sell the Post-Dispatch edition of the World Almanac in downtown offices, to business men, lawyers, etc., at a profit of from $1.50 to $2 per day; can work all or part time; America's greatest year book; everybody wants it. Call at Post-Dispatch counting room. (8)

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WE CAN PROVE that our general agents make $25 per day; no experience needed; our circulars teach you the business and our patented goods do the rest; if you are making less than $300 per month, write to us; don't waste stamps and money on catch-penny advertisements; we forfeit $500 to any person proving we do not send free samples at once on receipt of application with full information to start right to work to earn $25 per day. Braham Co., R 3802, Cincinnati, O.

## MAIL ORDERS.

14 Words, 20c.

GRAHAM'S bronzing liquids for metals; formulas for 12 kinds, $1. George S. Benson, 2232 Mullanphy, city. (7)

## SALESMEN WANTED.

14 Words, 20c.

MAN WANTED—To travel; new business; salary $80, commission and expenses; $50 cash and reference. H. H. Ehrhardt, New St. James. (4)

SALESMAN WANTED—Man of ability and genteel appearance, capable of interviewing the best business people in city; can make very profitable arrangements as local representative of an eastern manufacturer. Ad. B 163, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN WANTED—10 salesmen, splendid proposition; call early. 2611 N. Broadway.

SALESMAN WANTED—To sell grocery and restaurant trade; must be hustler; salary and commission; give reference or no attention paid. Ad. B 89, Post-Dispatch. (6)

SALESMAN WANTED—City salesman; good proposition to right man; call Sunday 10 to 4. Ad. 1118 Chestnut st.

SALESMEN WANTED—We have a first-class specialty for a side line; see us. Wheeler Match Machine Co., 821 Chestnut st.

SALESMAN WANTED—To sell advertising novelties to merchants; good pay. Advertiser, 1118 Tower Grove av. (3)

SALESMAN WANTED—Good, experienced salesman and window trimmer, with references; good wages. Good Luck Clothing Co., cor. 19th and E sts., Granite City, Ill. (3)

## CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS.

14 Words, 20c.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Four young ladies of good appearance, fluent talkers, to take house-to-house orders for skirts; novel proposition to trade; applicants must be "mixers;" straight salary and commission. P. O. Box 582. (55)

CANVASSERS WANTED—Three first-class canvassers; must be A No. 1 men, furnish references; permanent positions to good men; salary and commission. Ad. B 6, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—An active and energetic young man, with some knowledge of the hardware business, to solicit trade; salary and commission; give reference. Ad. B 32, Post-Dispatch.

SOLICITORS WANTED—Three house-to-house men, $25 to $30 weekly made; bring references; steady work; call at once. 3724 Olive st., side door. (5)

SOLICITORS WANTED—Good fire, casualty and bond insurance solicitors or agents. Ad. by letter to Harry M. Coudrey & Co., Century bldg. (8)

SOLICITORS WANTED—Experienced solicitors to sell small issues of bonds and stocks of established manufacturing concerns. Ad. B 1, Post-Dispatch.

STEADY POSITIONS.
Want to engage from 30 to 40 solicitors, ladies and men of good appearance; object, canvassing of whole town and suburbs, with installment proposition; straight salaries to right parties and steady employment, commencing Feb. 15; send application to P. O. Box 582. (55)

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

14 Words, 20c.
Household Servants Only, 14 Words, 14c
Business Announcements, 15c a Line.

AGENTS WANTED—Lady agents to organize buying clubs for Sterling Supply Co. Ad. G 162, Post-Dispatch.

BATHROOM GIRL WANTED—At Moser Hotel, 809 Pine st.

CASHIER WANTED—Young lady as cashier, 16 or 17 years, at once. 1310 N. Grand.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—At Moser Hotel, 809 Pine street.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—Woman to do chamber work; come ready to work. 1908 S. Jefferson av.

COOK WANTED—Good girl, with some experience in cooking; German preferred. 816 North Market. (3)

COOK WANTED—Experienced white cook for general housework in private family. 3024 Morgan. (4)

COOK WANTED—Cook of restaurant experience; good pay for the right party. Call at the Famous restaurant, 810 N. Broadway. (4)

COOK WANTED—With references; small family; no washing or outside work. Apply Barkhoefer's drug store, Maryland and Euclid.

COOK WANTED—Good cook. 3341 Morgan.

COOK WANTED—Female camp cook, $35; 20 miles out. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

COOK WANTED—No washing, ironing or housework; good wages. 4346 McPherson av.

COOK WANTED—No washing, high wages. 4124 West Pine bl.

COOK WANTED—Young white girl for cook at 5447 Cabanne av.

COOK WANTED—Experienced cook. Apply after 4 p. m. 2227 Lucas av.

COOK WANTED—Competent German girl for cooking; 2 in family, $20; refs. 4479 Forest Park bl.

COOK WANTED—Call at 3114 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—Girl to do cooking and general housework. 2119 Miami st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Woman dishwasher. Tony Faust Restaurant. (3)

DRESSMAKER WANTED—On children's clothing, 65c per day. 2831 King's highway.

FINISHERS WANTED—Experienced finishers to finish on custom pants; call at once. 808 N. 9th st., 2d floor.

FINISHERS WANTED—On custom pants. 608 Chestnut st.

FRAME MAKERS WANTED—Girls to make ladies' hat frames. Sylvester Clarke, 415 Lucas av. (3)

FRAME MAKERS WANTED—Wire frame makers and girls to learn; paid while learning. Kroos, 409 N. 3d st. (4)

GIRLS WANTED—Girls for light, clean work in manufacturing department; steady employment. Pauner Rubber Co., Baden. (8)

GIRL WANTED—To assist with housework. 2626 Gamble st.

GIRLS WANTED—Waitress and pantry girl; $18 each, room and board; country; free pass; fee deducted. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

GIRL WANTED—To learn light office work; speaks German and English. Holland bldg., room 409.

GIRL WANTED—Excellent place for neat white girl; general housework; family of 2; must be good cook; good wages and permanent; apply at once. 5560 Vernon av.; Suburban car. (4)

GIRLS WANTED—To make envelopes and paper bags. Keevil's, 210 N. 4th st., 3d floor.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework, without washing. 3637 Windsor pl.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Call Thursday afternoon, 938 Laurel. (4)

GIRLS WANTED—To learn; paid while learning; also experienced finishers. Progressive Paper Box Co., 324 Clark av.

GIRL WANTED—Neat colored girl in dental rooms; must bring references. 415 N. Broadway; 4th floor. (4)

GIRL WANTED—Good German girl, for general housework; no washing or outside work. 4944 Washington bl.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply at 521A Veronica av., East St. Louis, Ill. (4)

GIRL WANTED—A good strong, reliable German girl to act as general housekeeper for family of 3 adults. Inquire any day, Sunday excepted, between 5 and 6 p. m., 810 N. Compton av. (4)

GIRL WANTED—From 14 to 16 years old, to help do housework; call immediately. 2813A Eads av.

GIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework and cooking; no washing; small family. 1220 Hickory st.

GIRLS WANTED—Handy girls to assist in factory and put up bundles; good position to bright girls. Star Waist Co., 9th and St. Charles.

GIRL WANTED—12 to 15 years old, to assist in housekeeping, in family of two. Apply C. G. Niemeyer 2516A University st.

GIRLS WANTED—Neat hand sewers on men's neckwear; experience not necessary; steady work; good pay. Apply Ferguson-McKinney Neckwear Factory, 1008 Locust st.

GIRL WANTED—To assist with general housework and children; take Suburban, Delmar or Olive cars; get off 4900; apply at once. 4870 Fountain av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl about 16, to learn photography; $1 per week. Genelli Studio, 506 Olive st. (8)

GIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in three-room flat. 1356 Academy av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl can have room and board and attend school in exchange for assistance with housework. Ad. R 14, Post-Dispatch. (83)

GIRLS WANTED—Immediately, to learn telegraphing, day or evening; good pay. 102 N. 3d st., room 303.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced band girls, machine and piece presses on pants. 2719 Chippewa st. (4)

GIRLS WANTED—Numbering machine girls. Flammger & Grahl Blank Book Co., 318 N. 3d.

GIRL WANTED—To assist in housework; no washing. 2229 St. Louis av.

GIRL WANTED—Good girl for housework; small family; good wages. 5025 Page bl.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; $15 month. 1703 Marcus; 4700 west; take Easton av. car, walk 1 block north.

GIRL WANTED—Good, for general housework; no washing or ironing. 3809 Delmar bl.

GIRLS WANTED—For factory work; good pay; steady work. Southern Mill, 1428 S. 9th st. (4)

GIRLS WANTED—Ten girls; steady work; good wages. 1411 S. 8th st. (6)

GIRLS WANTED—Neat, strong girls, over 15, to work in stock room; good pay. 20 S. 11th st., between Market and Walnut sts.

GIRL WANTED—Dining room girl. 215 N. 18th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Colored, over 15 years, for light factory work. Apply 518 N. Commercial st. (3)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White housegirl; private family city references required; apply morning. 3326 Pine st. (8)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1916 Lami st.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Working housekeeper for general housework; settled woman and reliable; no incumbrance; room furnished; small family. Apply at once. 3654 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general work in small family; references required. Call at 4063 Castleman av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4155 Lindell.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; three in family. 4035 W. Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4508 Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. W. Vogel, southeast corner 19th and Locust.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; small family. Apply 3826 Sullivan av. (3)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—About 18, to assist with general housework; good wages. 5057A McPherson av. (8)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl about 16 for general housework, to go home at night. 7216 Minnesota av. (3)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. Apply 5836 Cates av. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl, general housework, in family of 3. 5733 Clemens av. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. 2911 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; white preferred; good wages. 2222 Chestnut.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; no washing; small family. 1914 La Salle.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. Mrs. Halbruegger, 1507 S. Compton.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Reliable girl for general housework. 2842 Gamble st. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Reliable girl for cook and general housework. Apply 5531 Maple av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in general housework; good wages. 3125 Thomas st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 3900 Botanical av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—To do general housework; good wages. Apply 714 Market st., 3d floor.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good white woman for morning housework. 3144 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Steady white girl for general housework in small family; good wages. 4062 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. 6217 Plymouth av. (3)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist in general housework; no washing or ironing. 3919 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. Apply 4339 Lindell bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. 1312 N. 13th st. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 1903 Biddle.

HOUSGIRL WANTED—Maid for general housework; no laundry. 3816 Westminster pl. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl or woman to cook and do general housework. 4964 Fountain av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework; small house. 4362 Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 4163 Maryland av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored girl for plain housework; small family. 1536 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—In a small family. 3810 Westminster pl.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Elderly lady for light housework. Apply Casse Liberty, 905 N. 11th.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Middle-aged woman for housework. George P. Uhl, 204 Portland av., Belleville, Ill. (89)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework, in small family. 16 S. Sarah st. (7)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; family of two; references required. 4322 Page bl. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. 4107 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; no washing. 4211 Page.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Small family; good wages. 3534 Lawton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—No. 1 housegirl, with references. 4496 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. Mrs. Bennett, 3715 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; $18 month; small, clean family. 3866 Finney.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. [illegible]

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—To do general housework and light washing; small family; refs. 3908A Lucas av.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

14 Words, 20c.
Household Servants Only, 14 Words, 14c
Business Announcements, 15c a Line.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. 4222 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. 4191 Washington bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework; family of three adults; good wages. 5061 Minerva av. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework, no washing; small family. 553 Hamilton. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework, with or without washing. 2011 Rauschenbach av.

IRONERS WANTED—Experienced ironers in shirt factory. Apply at Bohm Bros. F. G. Co., 1228 Washington av. (7)

LADIES WANTED—Reliable home work, $1.50 to $3 daily; quick, fascinating. Holland bldg., room 409. (1)

LADIES WANTED—Steady, reliable home work, leisure hours; $15 weekly; established firm. Room 421, 721 Olive st. (6)

LADIES WANTED—To learn splendid paying profession; we teach hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, chiropody or electrolysis in few weeks; special offer given for limited time; call or write at once. Moler Barber College, 1110 Pine st. (5)

LADIES WANTED—Everywhere, copying letters at home, evenings or spare time and return to us; no mailing or canvassing; $9 weekly earned; materials free; inclose self-addressed envelope for particulars. Guarantee Co., W 151, Ninth st., Philadelphia, Pa.

LADIES WANTED—$20 thousand copying letters; no mailing to friends or furnishing addresses; stamped envelope for particulars. U. S. Advertising Co., Dept. G 14, Chicago.

LADIES WANTED—One or two ladies to represent a musical society; good remuneration. Ad. T 22, Post-Dispatch.

LADIES WANTED—Two bright, intelligent ladies to travel and appoint agents; also two demonstrator; salary $60 month and expenses; only first-class people need apply. 3560 Olive. (3)

LADIES WANTED—Good address, full of business experience preferred; to canvass house to house; liberal salaries paid. Ad. B 134, Post-Dispatch. (3)

LADY MANAGER WANTED—Who understands billing on typewriter; able to take charge of correspondence; small salary to begin; stenography unnecessary. Empire Suspender Co., 609 Washington av.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—A colored woman to help in laundry, $1 per day. 214 N. Theresa av. (4)

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Good white woman to wash; family of 3 adults. 3017 Wyoming.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—First-class. 3810 Shaw.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—A good laundress, ready for work, Thursday morning, at 4052 Russell.

LINERS WANTED—Sock liners on ladies' shoes. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

MILLINERS WANTED—Steady work year round. S. Haas, 812 Lucas av.; take elevator. (4)

NURSEGIRL WANTED—12 years old, to assist with housework. 821 Russell av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—15-year-old girl as nurse. Apply 4414 McPherson av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—One with references; willing to go South for two months. Apply Barkhoeffer's drug store, Maryland and Euclid.

OFFICE GIRL WANTED—Office girl who understands stenography and double-entry books. Imperial Laundry, 2807 Chouteau av.

PANTRY GIRL WANTED—Tony Faust Restaurant. (3)

PRESSERS AND OPERATORS WANTED—On waists; good wages and steady work. Star Waist Co., 8th and St. Charles.

SCRUBWOMEN WANTED—Apply at once. Goldman Bros., 1104 Olive st.

SEWERS WANTED—Neat hand sewers on men's neckwear; experience not necessary; steady work and good pay. Apply Ferguson-McKinney Neckwear Factory, 1008 Locust st.

SEWERS WANTED—Experienced straw hat sewers. Sylvester C. Judge Hat Factory, 1819 Pine st. (8)

**SHOEMAKERS WANTED**
Girl who had experience in checking size factory fitting room books; good place to right girl.
ROBERTS, JOHNSON & RAND,
Hickory Street Factory. (8)

**SHOEMAKERS WANTED**
Vampers for Union Special cylinder machine; also girls to check books.
ROBERT-JOHNSON-RAND,
Hickory st. factory. (4)

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced skirt and waistmakers. Rosenfeld 819 Washington av. (4)

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced dressskirtmakers on good class of work. Apply Sterling Skirt Factory, 1421 Olive st., 4th floor. (16)

STITCHER WANTED—First-class Congress stitcher; steady work; call at once. Wertheimer-Swarts Shoe Co. (5)

STITCHERS WANTED—Top stitchers and good allround stitchers on men's fine shoes. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand, Mullanphy st. factory. (6)

TRIMMERS WANTED—Experienced trimmers on ready-to-wear hats and girls to learn. Sylvester C. Judge, 1819 Pine st. (4)

WAITRESS WANTED—Good arm waitress. 1106 N. Taylor av.; apply afternoon.

WAITRESSES WANTED—Three, for hotel, $20, room and board; free pass; near Memphis; manager at our office Saturday forenoon; placed guaranteed. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

WIRE FRAMEMAKERS WANTED—Work year round; no lay off. Sylvester C. Judge Hat Factory, 1819-25 Pine st. (5)

WOMAN WANTED—Strong young woman for day work or to clean office. 1231 Monroe.

WOMEN WANTED—To sew at home, $9 per week; materials sent everywhere free; steady work; plain sewing only; send addressed envelope for full particulars. W[illegible] Du Pont, Philadelphia, Pa.

WOMEN WANTED—To sell the World Almanac; just out; America's greatest yearbook; 10,000 facts for 25c; no [illegible] complete without it; enterprising women can make from $1.50 to $3 a day working on commission from house to house in residence district. Apply to circulation department, second floor, Post-Dispatch bldg. (8)

WRAPPERS WANTED—At once, at Christian Peper Tobacco Co., 1st and Morgan sts. (4)

A LIFE-SIZE picture with each dozen photos at the When Studio, 1631 Franklin av.; telephone C917.

## LAUNDRY HELP WANTED.

14 Words, 20c.

FINISHER WANTED—First-class finisher. Laclede Laundry, 2900 Pine st.

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED—A bosom ironer and neck bander. Union Laundry Co., 3008 Morgan.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Steady employment; wages $6 week and board. Landis' Restaurant, 2225 Olive st.

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED—An experienced marker; also two 1st-class shirt finishers. Monarch Laundry Co., 2719 Franklin. (3)

## SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words, 10c.

BARBER—Sit. wanted by union barber; small town preferred; please state wages. Ad. P 182, Post-Dispatch.

BARBER—Sit. wanted by registered barber for Saturday night and Sunday. Ad. Arthur Tyree, 1540A California.

BARBER—Sit. wanted by young man as barber, to finish trade; can shave and cut hair. Ad. B 27, Post-Dispatch.

BARKEEPER—Will pay $10 for steady position as first-class barkeeper; good city references; no agents need answer. Ad. B 165, P.-D. (4)

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted by reliable, sober man as bartender; speaks German; good references; moderate wages. Matt Reichert, 2808 Clark.

BARTENDER—A position wanted as assistant bartender, drink waiter or doorman in hotel or clubhouse. Ad. T 55, Post-Dispatch.

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted by bartender; willing to do porter work. Ad. T 13, Post-Dispatch.

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted as bartender, by young man; has good experience; can furnish best of references. Ad. B 190, Post-Dis.

BOOKKEEPER OR CASHIER—Qualified young man with good recommendations desires position as bookkeeper or cashier. Ad. B 166, P.-D.

BOY—Good colored boy wishes work; can do anything. 4125 Fairfax.

CARPENTER—Nonunion, will build sheds, fences and do patchwork. Ad. B 2, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Position wanted by experienced clerk and office assistant; honest and reliable; well recommended. Ad. T 184, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Grocery clerk, German, 22 years, wants position; best references. Ad. P 127, P.-D.

CLERK—Sit. wanted by married man as shipping clerk or office work of any kind; [illegible] Ad. T 364, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. wanted by cook; country hotel or [illegible] at once. Ad. B 30, Post-Dispatch.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.
20 Words, 10c.

COLLECTOR—Position wanted as collector by elderly gentleman, well acquainted with city; can speak German and give first-class references. Ad. B 68, Post-Dispatch. (3)

COLLECTOR—Sit. wanted by a sober, industrious young man, a member of the Legion of Honor, in good standing, to assist in office and collect, now employed by a reliable firm, but on account of health, desiring change. Ad. B 72, P.-D. (5)

COOK—Cook of 30 years' experience wants place to cook lunch in saloon. Ad. John Cook, 502 S. Broadway.

COOK OR BUTLER—Sit. wanted by young colored man as cook or butler in private family; good references. Ad. G 82, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. wanted as cook; chef 4 places in city 12 years; best references. Ad. B 62, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. wanted by 1st-class cook; good meat cutter and carver; sober, steady; restaurant work preferred. Ad. Billie, 5875 Theodosia. (3)

COOK—Sits. wanted by man and wife as first-class cook, wife as helper. Ad. T 34, P.-D. (3)

CUTTER—Experienced cutter, designer on all kinds of ladies' garments, wants position. Ad. B 199, Post-Dispatch.

DISHWASHER—A strong, sober, steady man, who thoroughly understands running dishwashing machine, would like position at same. Wm. Rochon, 418 Lucas av. (8)

DRUGGIST—Registered, wishes situation; long experience; single; references; can manage; buy later. Ad. R 69, Post-Dispatch.

ELEVATOR MAN wishes position at once, age 21; neat dresser; references. Ad. B 174, Post-Dispatch. (3)

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by practical licensed engineer; understands his trade thoroughly; open for position; strictly sober man. Ad. Engineer, 1617A N. Leffingwell av. (7)

FOREMAN—Sit. wanted as foreman in coat, vest or pants shop; can manage 8 or 10 machines, or examiner. Ad. B 66, Post-Dispatch. (3)

FURNACEMAN—Sit. wanted by man to attend furnace and front, for room and board; A1 references. 704 Euclid av.

HOUSEWORK—Sit. wanted by good colored boy for housework. 2630 Morgan st., rear.

IRON FINISHER—Sit. wanted by iron finisher. Ad. G. H. B., 1927 Morgan st.

JANITOR—Sit. wanted by responsible colored person as janitor; handy at anything; no saloon work. 4012 Papin st.

MACHINIST—Sit. wanted, young man with 2 years' experience as printing press machinist; handy with tools; will take anything. Ad. J. Frans, 3741 Minnesota av. (3)

MAN—German, understands all about horses and dining room; good worker; willing, trustworthy. Jeske, 805 N. 15th st.

MAN—Sit. wanted by Swede to learn horseshoeing. J. M., 3851 Manchester av.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man of 20, inside steady job after school hours. J. M., Larrazolo, 3412 Lucas av.

MAN—Sit. wanted by colored man to attend furnace or dishwasher. 1701 Lucas.

MAN—Sit. wanted by colored man; first-class hotel and restaurant; best city references. E. P., 2307½ St. Charles.

MAN—Position wanted by young man in office; can use typewriter; also understands billing. Ad. B 23, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by strong young man of 19, willing to work; must have work at once. 1221 Monroe st.

MAN—Office assistant, capable and energetic, desires position; experienced as entry, order, bill clerk, assistant bookkeeper; rapid typewriter operator; salary $16. Ad. R 64, Post-Dis. (5)

MAN—Sit. wanted by man, mechanical, thoroughly understands economic care of steam and hot-water heaters; work in private house or institution. Ad. T 46, Post-Dispatch. (4)

MAN—Sit. wanted by man of 30; wants employment at anything. Ad. B 170, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Experienced mail-order man would like to have talk with firm wishing to extend business. Ad. B 34, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Neat young man of 17 wants position in office; experienced; best of reference. Ad. T 42, Post-Dispatch.

MANAGER—Sit. wanted as mine manager by one who has Ills. certificate, with 17 years' experience; best of references. Ad. 514 Waugh st., Belleville, Ill. (6)

MAN—Young man, 17 years of age, would like to learn a good trade. Ad. B 12[illegible], Post-Dis. (4)

MAN—Position wanted by young man in shipping department; am sober, honest; references; experienced. Ad. T 120, Post-Dispatch. (5)

MAN—Position wanted by young man in express or freight business; highest references. Ad. T 153, Post-Dispatch. (3)

MAN AND WIFE—Wanted, by a respectable colored couple, work in private family or hotel. Geo. Freeman, 1531 Gratiot st., 2d floor. (4)

PAINTER, ETC.—Sit. wanted by painter, paperhanger and decorator; very reasonable. Ad. B 167, Post-Dispatch. (4)

PAPERHANGER—Sit. wanted by paperhanger, painter and paper cleaner. Phone D1303, 2201 Division st.

PORTER—Sit. wanted by colored man as porter in saloon or hotel; references. 1615 Chestnut.

PORTER—Sit. wanted by colored man as porter, saloon or barber shop; references. N. Hammel, 3051 Lambdin.

ROOMS WANTED—Rooming house to attend in exchange for rooms; young couple. Ad. B 159, Post-Dispatch. (4)

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted by furnishing goods salesman; has had experience. Ad. T 57, P.-D.

SAWYER AND HOUSE CARPENTER—Sit. wanted by young married man; good habits; handy with tools. Ad. B 4, Post-Dispatch.

SKIRT AND SUIT CUTTER—Sit. wanted by experienced skirt and suit cutter; also patterns; moderate salary. Ad. 1420 Morgan st.; Herman. (3)

STENOGRAPHER—Competent young man, stenographer, desires position; 1½ years' experience; references. Ad. B 171, Post-Dispatch.

WAITER—Sit. wanted by colored man as waiter, in fashionable boarding house; call or write. B. R. Y., 213 S. 16th st.

WATCHMAKER—Sit. wanted by watchmaker and salesman, with tools; experienced; city references; permanent. 1919 Hickory st.

WATCHMAN, ETC.—Sit. wanted by trustworthy man as night watchman and harness cleaner; can give good references. Ad. B 186, P.-D. (5)

WATCHMAN—Good, reliable young man would like a position as watchman. Ad. B 75, Post-Dispatch. (4)

## SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE
20 Words, 10c.

CASHIER—Neat young lady desires position as cashier; best of references; experienced. Ad. 3008 Dickson st.

CHAMBERMAID—Sit. wanted by settled colored woman as chambermaid or plain cooking. 2614A Stoddard st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by colored woman as cook or general housework. 2022A Walnut.

COOK—Sit. wanted by good, allround woman cook; no private family. Ad. B 193, P.-D.

COOK—Sit. wanted by colored girl as [illegible] cook, in boarding house or family. 2114 Lucas av.

COOK—Sit. wanted by experienced colored woman as cook in boarding house, restaurant or private family. Bell Main 4678 202 N. 12th.

COOK—Neat colored woman, first-class cook, wishes place in boarding house or private family. L. Middleton, 80[illegible] N. 13th.

COOK—Sit. wanted by experienced German woman in small restaurant or as lunch cook. 3639 N. Broadway.

COOK—Sit. wanted as cook or housekeeper. 820 S. 14th st.

COOK—Sit. wanted as a good plain cook and general housework by a Jewish girl. E. Reinhardt, 1814 Biddle st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by good cook, middle-aged, in boarding house or restaurant. 927 N. 19th st.

COOK, ETC.—Sit. wanted by German woman; good plain cooking and housework. 719 N. Compton av.

COOK AND HOUSEGIRL—Sits. wanted by two young girls, one as cook and housegirl. Call at 4129A Kossuth.

COOK AND HOUSEMAID—Sit. wanted by first-class German cook and housemaid; best references. 30 Pinney av.

DEMONSTRATOR—Position wanted as demonstrator or charge of toilet preparation department; have general experience; highest reference. Ad. T 44, Post-Dispatch. (83)

DISHWASHER—Sit. wanted as dishwasher by young woman; $4 per week. Ad. 1749 Division.

DRESSMAKER—Dressmaker and ladies' tailor desires work at home; will call. 3509A Easton. (4)

DRESSMAKER—Fashionable dressmaker and designer wants work to take home; will call for and deliver goods; terms reasonable. Miss Broadbent, 221[illegible] S. 18th.

DRESSMAKER—Situation by dressmaker, to go out by day; 5 years' experience. Call 1345 Arlington av. (3)

FLOORLADY—Sit. wanted by experienced floorlady. Ad. G 1[illegible]9, Post-Dispatch. (83)

GIRL—Sit. wanted by experienced girl in fashionable boarding house or cafe; West End. 3606 Finney av.

GIRLS—Sits. wanted by two colored girls as [illegible] and nurse, with references. Ad. 3718 Morgan st.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl, any kind of work [illegible] or restaurant preferred. Ad. [illegible] Post-Dispatch.

[illegible]—Sit. wanted by a good, respectable [illegible] to do plain cooking and assist in [illegible] small family; no laundry. Call [illegible]

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted as housegirl; state wage. Ad. B. J., 1023½ Chestnut st.

HOUSEGIRL—German girl wants a place for general housework. 903 S. 9th st.

HOUSEMAID—Sit. wanted by good, reliable colored girl as housemaid; first-class private family or private boarding house; honest and refined; call or write. 2640 Lawton.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by experienced colored widow as housekeeper for widower or bachelor; references. Call 4304 Cottage, 1st floor.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl as house and dining room girl or to assist in general housework; must be good people and be willing to pay for work. Apply 1327 Wash.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl as housegirl. 2749 Manchester; no postals answered.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by colored girl from the South to do housework or light cooking. 2625 Wash st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper for widower with children; good seamstress; not afraid of work; must exchange references. Ad. G 146, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper and companion where there are children or old people; can sew and do all kinds of work; references. Ad. G 147, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by an experienced housekeeper and cook; no washing or outside work; good references. Call or ad. 3148 Olive. Mrs. G., phone Beaumont 381 M. (3)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by experienced German girl to assist in general housework; Grand and Lee av. cars. 3011A N. 25th st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper by well experienced neat colored woman. 3421A La Salle; call or write.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as working housekeeper by good Catholic, motherly woman, with widower with small children preferred. 5096 Ridge av.

HOUSEKEEPER—A refined Christian woman desires position as assistant housekeeper in respectable, quiet home; will leave city. Ad. Y 69, Post-Dispatch. (83)

LADY—Young lady with experience would like position in office; doctor's office preferred; references. Ad. B 197, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Sit. wanted by widow lady to care for rooming house or gentlemen; has some furniture; no incumbrance. Ad. G 36, Post-Dis.

LADY—Sit. wanted by elderly lady to go out by the day housecleaning. 4121 Chouteau.

LAUNDRESS—Laundry wanted to take home; neat work. 3521 Lucas av., rear.

LAUNDRESS—Colored woman wants washing, to go out. Call or address 2813 Lambdin.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted as laundress, 4 days. 821 N. Compton av. (4)

LAUNDRESS—Colored woman wants washing to take home. 1208A Gay st.

LAUNDRESS—White lady wants washing to take home; call or write. 4044 Gratiot st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored woman to do laundry work Thursday and Friday. Hattie Daily, 1404 Morgan st.

LAUNDRESS—Small washing wanted to bring home or go out; good references. E. Brown, 4814 Kennerly av.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress can take home few more washings; call or send postal. Lulu, 214 N. Theresa. (3)

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, by first-class laundress, washing to bring home. Ad. 3444 Laclede.

LAUNDRESS—First-class colored laundress wants Thursday and Friday out; $1.50 per day. Ad. Nettie, 2921 Locust.

LAUNDRESS—Wants small washing to take home or go out; can give references to parties answering. 2315 S. 9th st., rear.

LAUNDRESS—Wants to go out by the day or will do house cleaning; can furnish references. Ad. 1703 Carr, rear.

LAUNDRESS—Reliable colored woman wants regular washing Monday and Tuesday. 1308A Linden. Miss W.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class colored laundress for Thursday and Friday. 4588 Cottage av.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by laundress; go out by the day. 2625 Pine st.

MANICURIST—Sit. wanted by first-class manicurist in good bathhouse or barber shop; experience in massage and ladies' hair dressing. Miss Sandford, 1338 Blackstone.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by colored girl as nurse or housegirl. Ad. Allie Murray, 707 N. 22d.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by lady, 30; has had 10 years' training as nurse; would like a home to care for invalid or take care of old people and keep house. Ad. G 145, Post-Dispatch.

NURSE—Sit. wanted by a good, practical woman nursing confinement or invalid; can give references. Call or write, 1038 S. 8th st. (4)

SEAMSTRESS—Wants sewing of all kinds at home or by day; cut all patterns; perfect fit and finish. Ad. 4751A St. Louis.

STENOGRAPHER—Stenographer desires temporary position, from 7 to 9 p. m.; small salary. Ad. B 98, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced, trustworthy lady stenographer will compensate liberally reliable party assisting her to permanent, desirable position as private stenographer. Ad. C 74, Post-Dispatch. (4)

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced young lady desires position as stenographer and bookkeeper; best references; Smith's, Remington, Underwood machine; wages moderate. Ad. B 196, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Bright, accurate lady stenographer desires position at once; moderate salary. Ad. R 60, Post-Dispatch.

WASHERWOMAN—Sit. wanted; to go out by day, washing. 2312 Eugenia.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted to clean rooms or offices. Miss Clay, 2628 Morgan.

WOMAN—Thoroughly competent young woman wants place in family to do upstairs work and mending; references. Ad. G 83, Post-Dis. (5)

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by elderly German lady with old couple or lady; light housework. Ad. B 82, Post-Dispatch.

## DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY.
14 Words, 20c.

DRESSMAKER—Experienced dressmaker wishes few more costumes at home; satisfaction guaranteed. 1420A S. Grand av. (5)

## THEATRICAL.
14 Words, 20c.

AT LIBERTY—Three up-to-date theatrical people. Ad. 2015 Olive st.

DONALD MACK, buck and wing; Donald Mack, eccentric, acrobatic dancing; Donald Mack, novelty floor-steps; sketches written; pupils booked. 3915 Olive st. (4)

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SOUBRETTE WANTED—With good specialty for immediate engagement. Apply at once. H. B. Denne, Lange Hotel, 1505 Market st.

THEATRICAL—Wanted, illustrated song man, pianist, sketch team, singles and doubles. Ad. or call immediately. J. E. Plonghe, 1208 Chouteau, front room, first floor.

THEATRICAL—Actors wanted for "Uncle Tom's Cabin," to tour small towns; apply at 3 o'clock any day this week. W. C. Cunningham, Imperial Theater.

THEATRICAL—Young ladies and gentlemen desirous of taking up the stage as a profession, address B 110, Post-Dispatch. (3)

WANTED—Young ladies and gentlemen for amateur dramatic club; experience unnecessary. Ad. B 141, Post-Dispatch.

## HORSES AND VEHICLES.
14 Words, 20c.

### Sleighs.

SLEIGH—For sale, new hand-made, two-seated sleigh. H. Tandler, 6763 Vermont av.

### Wanted.

HORSE WANTED—A good heavy high-headed surrey horse or mare; city broke; 6 to 9 years old. Ad. Z 36, Post-Dispatch.

WAGON WANTED—2-horse lumber wagon; must be good condition. Columbia Box Co., 19th and North Market.

### Automobiles.
### For Sale.

ALWAYS ON HAND—From 75 to 100 head of mules, draft, driving and general purpose horses, wagons of all kinds; buggies and harness, you can try horses before buying; must be as represented; cash or easy payments. E. L. House, 1515 N. Broadway and [illegible] Clayton. (8)

BUGGY, ETC.—For sale, open buggy, $12; park wagon, $15; storm buggy, $17.50. 3115 Easton.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, $43 buys large horse, harness and coal wagon; also two delivery. 4058 Cote Brilliante av.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, five horses, four wagons and runabout. Gobrecht, 510 N. Sarah st.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, 1 coal black horse, 1 covered wagon and harness; very cheap. Apply 313 Pine st., between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. (3)

WAGONS, ETC.—For sale, storm buggies, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, peddler; tailor, plumber, carpenter, painter, express, caterer, advertising, coffee and tea wagons. John Tobiaks, 1400 N. 7th st. (8)

## AUCTION SALES.

CASH paid for complete [illegible] store. L. [illegible] & Co. [illegible] Franklin av. [illegible]

## ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.
14 Words, 10c.

BELL AV., 4067—Furnished large connecting rooms or single 2d-floor front; housekeeping rooms, $2.

BLAIR AV., 1512—Second-floor room, furnished complete for housekeeping; small family.

BROADWAY, 12½ S.—Finely furnished rooms, ½ block from Southern Hotel; $1.50 to $3 a week. Apply Mrs. Walker or Hall; fine baths. (4)

BROADWAY, 110 N.—We solicit regular roomers; all conveniences, $2 week and up; let us show you. (6)

BROADWAY, 114½ N.—100 rooms, newly furnished; steam heat, at 20c and 25c; $1.25-$1.50 per week; a trial is sufficient. (8)

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Fine room; service; 50c per day; low weekly rates. (8)

CAROLINE ST., 3558—Two furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; hot water; basement.

CARR ST., 1835—Nicely furnished rooms, light housekeeping if desired; all conveniences.

CARR ST., 1720—Neatly furnished front room, complete for housekeeping; all conveniences; rent reasonable.

CASS AV., 2041—One or two furnished front connecting housekeeping rooms; also hall room.

CHESTNUT ST., 1411—Desirable furnished rooms, $1.25 week up; pleasant reading room; gentlemen only; central. (1)

CHESTNUT ST., 1433—Nicely furnished rooms, $2 week up; steam heat; baths, gas, office; reputable. (1)

CHESTNUT ST., 1109½—Large front and back rooms, nicely and completely furnished, for gentlemen or light housekeeping; very low rent. (4)

CHOUTEAU AV., 1103-1112—Large rooms, complete for housekeeping; $2.50 week; connecting rooms, $3.50; gas, bath, laundry.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1419—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; gas, bath and laundry. (3)

CHOUTEAU AV., 3136—Small room, furnished, for housekeeping, $1.25 per week.

CHOUTEAU AV., 908—Elegantly furnished front room, finest in city, light housekeeping or gents, $3.50. (5)

CHOUTEAU AV., 1012—Rooms for light housekeeping; furnished, $1.25 up; unfurnished, 75c up. Kinloch phone D394. (8)

CLARK AV., 1418—One large room, furnished or unfurnished; second floor.

CLARK AV., 2230—Furnished front room; light housekeeping; with cook stove; cheap; all convs.

CLARK AV., 3010—Furnished, unfurnished connecting and single rooms to suit, for light housekeeping; reasonable. (5)

COMPTON AV., 715 N.—Furnished rooms for housekeeping or roomers; reasonable.

COOK AV., 4202—Beautiful large front room; heat, water; price to suit you.

CORA PL., 1522—Two rooms, front, on second floor, complete for housekeeping; $13 a month; bath, gas and furnace heat.

DAYTON ST., 2049—Large, dry basement room, hot and cold water for laundry work.

DELMAR BL., 3961—Wanted, 2 gentlemen for large room; separate beds, etc.; all comforts of home. (4)

DELMAR BL., 5227—Two beautiful nicely furnished front rooms, single or ensuite; two couples or four gentlemen.

EASTON AV., 3016A—Furnished rooms, second floor, front; single or connecting. (4)

EIGHTEENTH ST., 1118 N.—1 nice front room; light housekeeping; gas, bath; private family. (4)

EIGHTH ST., 911 S.—Rooms for light housekeeping or gents, first, second and third floor, $1.50 up.

ETZEL AV., 6420—Suburban car; two or three rooms, furnished or unfurnished, cheap to responsible party; large front yard. (3)

EVANS AV., 3929—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished; large closet; all conveniences; reasonable; references.

EVANS AV., 3630—Two furnished basement rooms, range and laundry; for couple or gentlemen; very cheap.

FIFTEENTH ST., 813 N.—Two completely furnished rooms, with kitchen and coal bin, $3.50; also furnished room, with small kitchen, $3.

FIFTEENTH ST., 1221 N.—One or two connecting furnished front rooms, cheap; gas range, yard.

FINNEY AV., 3670—Connecting rooms; also single rooms, for light housekeeping; gas; reas.

FINNEY AV., 4120A—Neatly furnished front room, in private family; widow's home; no other roomers. (5)

FOUNTAIN AV., 4873A—Nicely furnished room for couple or gentlemen; all conveniences. (3)

FRANKLIN AV., 2841—Large front room, comfortably furnished, for housekeeping; reasonable; respectable people.

FRANKLIN AV., 1427—Furnished front room, $2.50; other rooms cheaper; see barber.

FRANKLIN AV., 2701—Front room; southern exposure; furnished for housekeeping; bath and laundry.

GARFIELD AV., 4583—Nicely furnished front room, alcove; southern exposure; hot bath; two ladies or gentlemen employed; $5 each per week. (3)

GARRISON AV., 916 N.—Room and board; also day board. (3)

GRATTAN ST., 1022—Furnished connecting front rooms, for housekeeping; gas, bath, couple; no children. (5)

HOTEL LANGE, $2 PER WEEK.
15th and Market; 100 sunny, steam-heated rooms, American and European plan; prices are the lowest; accommodations the best. (8)

HOTEL EPWORTH—Rooms, $3 per week up; Suburban Skinker entrance to the door. (8)

KING'S HIGHWAY, 938A N.—Elegantly furnished second-story front room; new flat; all convs.; reasonable. (4)

LACLEDE AV., 3313—Furnished 1st and 2d-story front rooms, $3 per week; convs. (3)

LACLEDE AV., 3225B—Front room, with alcove, for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.

LACLEDE AV., 3030—Housekeeping; connecting rooms, 2d floor; small room for 2; bath, gas.

LACLEDE AV., 3437—Elegant and large front room for two gentlemen; steam heated; all conveniences; private family; terms very reasonable.

LAWTON AV., 3119—First-floor rooms for housekeeping; connecting or single; furnace heat. (4)

LAWTON AV., 3327—Front room, on second floor, or connecting rooms; also others; all convs.

LAWTON AV., 3024—2d-floor front, large, light, nicely furnished; furnace heat; with or without board.

LAWTON AV., 2861—Furnished rooms, well heated, for gentlemen; with bath; $4; or housekeeping.

LAWTON AV., 2783—Beautiful room, furnished or unfurnished; suitable for physician; rent reasonable.

LAWTON AV., 3134—Nicely furnished connecting rooms on second floor for housekeeping; cook stove.

LAWTON AV., 3030—Nice warm furnished rooms, hot bath and gas; housekeeping permitted; very reasonable.

LAWTON AV., 3136—Connecting front rooms; housekeeping; gas stove, cook stove, bath, laundry; private family; reasonable. (4)

LEFFINGWELL AV., 1425 N.—Corner Cass; nicely furnished housekeeping room; bath, respectable; no children.

LEONARD AV., 913 N.—Rooms for light housekeeping, $2.50 per week; also hall room.

LINDELL BL., 2522—Large 2d-story lovely front room, nicely furnished; also back parlor; steam heat; always warm. (4)

LOCUST ST., 2215—Nice 3d-floor housekeeping room, connecting, bath; with or without heat; quiet parties.

LOCUST ST., 2807—Nicely furnished rooms, with heat; please call. (3)

LOCUST ST., 3012—Furnished room, on second floor front, for two gentlemen; gas, bath, furnace heat; private family.

LOCUST ST., 2719—Furnished front room. (5)

LOCUST ST., 811—Heated rooms; rates reas. (5)

LOCUST ST., 2808—Front room and others. Call and see; bath and gas.

LOCUST ST., 2212—Cheerful, comfortable, clean furnished room, $2; all conveniences; bath, gas, telephone. (4)

LOOK at our steam-heated rooms and name your own price. Hotel Epworth. (8)

LUCAS AV., 3028—Handsomely furnished 2d-floor front room, furnace heat, hot bath; phone.

LUCAS AV., 2837—First-floor housekeeping rooms; also hall room; gas, bath, furnace. (4)

LUCAS AV., 817—Neatly furnished front rooms, for ladies or gentlemen; two connecting rooms, for housekeeping; $1 per week.

LUCKY ST., 4875—Three nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping, in owner's home, on second floor; coal and gas furnished; bath on same floor; to adults only; reasonable.

McPHERSON AV., 4065—Beautifully furnished front room and small room; every convenience; private family. (4)

MARKET ST., 1915—Rooms, opposite Union Station; fireproof hotel, bath, electric light; steam heat; rooms, $2 per week and up. (6)

MARKET ST., 926—Elegantly furnished second-story front room; cheap; piano included.

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1783A—One very desirable furnished room in private family; hot and cold bath.

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1733A—Three very desirable unfurnished rooms; gas, hot and cold bath.

MORGAN ST., 3214—Two connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; gas range, [illegible] heat; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 3005—Beautiful [illegible] parlor, furnace heat, hot bath, gas; $3 week; also large front and connecting rooms, furnished for light housekeeping. [illegible]

MORGAN ST., 1913—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; cook stove; also bed for working girl.

MORGAN ST., 2809—Two connecting 2d-story front rooms, furnished for housekeeping; bath, gas, laundry.

MORRISON AV., 1033—Large front room, furnished or unfurnished; with bath.

NINTH ST., 815 N.—Nicely furnished rooms, gentlemen or light housekeeping; $1.50 week up. (4)

NINTH ST., 119 N.—Corner Pine; pleasant rooms; single, $2; double, $2.50 week up; hot bath. (7)

OLIVE ST., 2015—Furnished rooms, connecting or single, one for light housekeeping; home-like; reasonable. (3)

OLIVE ST., 3744½A—Two elegantly furnished rooms; housekeeping privileges; reasonable; steam heat; all conveniences. (3)

OLIVE ST., 3670—Nicely furnished well-heated second-story front and adjoining room; all conveniences. (4)

OLIVE ST., 1424—Back parlor, also large room, $1.50; also nice front room.

OLIVE ST., 1410—Nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; other rooms also.

OLIVE ST., 2825—Large, well heated rooms; hot bath; $1.50 week and up.

OLIVE ST., 3134—Nicely furnished second-floor front room; hot and cold water; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2641—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; also two connecting rooms. (5)

OLIVE ST., 3707—Steam-heated rooms, furnished, all conveniences; hot and cold bath; free telephone service, etc.; private apartments; suitable for light housekeeping if desired.

OLIVE ST., 4246A—Four large rooms, flat, good for roomers or gentlemen; cheap. Lindell 1587M.

OLIVE ST., 4255B—Five rooms, second floor, newly furnished house; cleaning done; gas, hot and cold bath; porcelain tub; everything modern; to responsible party; no children.

OLIVE ST., 4219A—Nicely furnished steam-heated rooms; reasonable rates. (4)

OLIVE ST., 4127A AND 4048A—Furnished rooms; heat and all conveniences.

OLIVE ST., 2832A—Nicely furnished bedroom and kitchen; bath, gas range, heat; private; reas. (5)

OLIVE ST., 4729A—Two lovely connecting rooms, single or separate; very cheap; all conveniences; modern flat; no other roomers. (5)

OLIVE ST., 3011—Large front room, with or without housekeeping; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2700—Nicely furnished double rooms; very reasonable; steam heat; suitable for 3 gentlemen. (8)

OLIVE ST., 4223A—Two nice warm rooms; steam heat, hot water, gas; gentlemen or ladies. (3)

OLIVE ST., 2206—Nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping or men roomers.

OLIVE ST., 2710—Two second-floor rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; $3.50 for two.

OLIVE ST., 2724—Furnished rooms, on first, second and third floors; very reasonable; let me show you.

OLIVE ST., 2635A—Neatly furnished rooms, for gentlemen, $1.25, $1.50 and $2 per week. (5)

PAGE BL., 5122A—Two nice, clean, pleasant rooms, two young couples; light housekeeping.

PAGE BL., 5126—Very desirable, well-furnished rooms, large, light, warm, all conveniences; rates reasonable. (4)

PAGE BL., 4039—Nicely furnished room, furnace heat, hot bath, light housekeeping, $3.50.

PAGE BL., 4455—Two second-story front rooms, southern exposure; private family daults. (83)

PAGE BL., 4304A—Furnished room; light housekeeping; reasonable.

PAGE BL., 5029—Two second-story unfurnished rooms, for light housekeeping; $12; also one elegant second-story furnished room, $10.

PAPIN ST., 1824—Two neatly furnished rooms, for light housekeeping, on first floor.

PARK AV., 2645—One large, pleasant room, furnished, for couple or gents; all conveniences.

PARK AV., 1925—Furnished rooms; gentlemen or light housekeeping; 2 car lines. (6)

PARK AV., 1522—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, $2.50 per week. (3)

PINE ST., 822—Good outside, comfortable rooms, $2 per week and up; transients solicited. (7)

PINE ST., 1404—Neatly furnished room, for light housekeeping. (4)

PINE ST., 3435—Clean, warm rooms; new furnace, hot bath, filtered water, telephone; Olive, Laclede, Grand av. cars; quiet, refined neighborhood; $1.25, $1.50 each person per week. (4)

PINE ST., 2923—Two furnished rooms, second floor; for light housekeeping; all conveniences. (5)

PINE ST., 3140—Nicely furnished 2d-story front; steam heat, hot bath; $1.50 each; gentlemen. (74)

PINE ST., 2700—Beautiful front parlor, also sunny rooms on 2d floor; bath, gas (4)

PINE ST., 2615—Nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences, with or without light housekeeping; reasonable.

RAYMOND PL., 5025—Partly furnished room for light housekeeping; take Page or Suburban car. (7)

ROOMS—Nicely furnished, warm, light rooms, $1 to $2.50 week; Olive and Grand. Ad. B 178, Post-Dispatch. (3)

ROOM—Neatly furnished warm single room in private family. Ad. B 143, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—Wanted, nice, quiet, refined couple to share 4-room flat with quiet couple; Olive st., just west of Grand. Ad. B 28, Post-Dis.

ROOMS—Large second-floor front rooms, southern exposure; private bath, elegantly furnished; furnace and gas grate; hot water at all times; private family, for gentlemen who can appreciate and are willing to pay for first-class accommodations; 3800 block. Washington bl.; phone Lindell 2046M. (8)

ROOM—One large, well-furnished 2d-story front room; convenient to street car lines. Inquire at 2832 Dayton st. (4)

ROOMS—Two unfurnished or partly furnished rooms, vicinity of Franklin av. Ad. G 40, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—3 clean, neatly furnished rooms, light housekeeping, furnace heat, gas range, hot bath, gas; very reasonable. Ad. G 42, P.-D.

ROOMS—Two connecting south front rooms, to 2 couples or four business men; private family; West End. Ad. B 195, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Large south front room, to couple, or two business men; private family; West End. Ad. B 189, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Private family will rent nicely furnished room to traveling man or visitors; hot bath. Ad. B 101, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—Two nicely furnished front rooms; hot water heated in owner's home; no other roomers; price reasonable; Bell phone, Lindell 762M. or B 64, Post-Dispatch. (3)

ROOMS—Two very desirable third-floor rooms, well furnished and very comfortable; must be seen to be appreciated; 3800 block, Washington bl.; phone Lindell 2046M. (8)

ROOM—Lady has newly furnished room, quiet couple, permanent, central. Phone Beaumont 398M. (3)

ROOM—Albion pl., nicely furnished room; bath, heat; private family; $1.50 weekly. Ad. B 168, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS FOR RENT.
2811 LOCUST ST., a modern hotel, with 60 rooms, single or en suite; beautifully furnished; all steam heated; cafe in connection; permanent roomers now accepted; office, reception and sleeping rooms luxuriantly furnished. Call and see our rooms. We have both telephones. Kinloch C1327 and Bell Beaumont 702. (18)

ROOMS—Nicely furnished, well-heated 2d-story front room, in private family; hot bath, gas; Page, Easton and Suburban cars; 2 gentlemen or man and wife; very reas. 1217 N. Euclid. (3)

ROOMS—Nicely furnished room in private family, for 2 gentlemen; 2 blocks north of Suburban car; reasonable. 2718 Stoddard st. (3)

ROOMS—Furnished rooms, W. Vogel, southeast corner 19th and Locust sts. (4)

RUTGER ST., 1918—One large furnished front room; ladies or gentlemen; hot bath; warm room. (6)

RUTGER ST., 929—Nicely furnished room, for 2 gentlemen: private family; $1.50 each per week.

ST. ANGE AV., 1215—Large front room, furnished for light housekeeping; private family. (3)

ST. LOUIS AV., 3502—Nicely furnished room in family of two, for 2 gentlemen of refinement; will serve breakfast; very reasonable to right party. (5)

SARAH ST., 1114 N.—One large front room, furnished for light housekeeping.

SARAH ST., 510A N.—Near Olive; large furnished room, all conveniences, for two persons; $15 month. (4)

SARAH ST., 1223 N.—One or two furnished rooms; bath, all conveniences; near 3 car lines. (8)

SARAH ST., 2513 N.—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable.

SCHOOL ST., 3162—Corner Compton av.; large, 2d-story front room; newly furnished and papered, with all conveniences for light housekeeping; also elegantly furnished front parlor; service, hot water, gas, bath, etc.; corner house; centrally located; between Suburban and Easton av. car lines; reasonable to permanent parties.

SHERIDAN AV., 2942—For two gentlemen; hot bath and gas; $3 per week each. (4)

SIXTEENTH ST., 1439 N.—2 connecting completely furnished housekeeping rooms, with cook stove, water, etc.; reasonable to couple. (4)

SIXTEENTH ST., 114 S.—Rooms furnished for housekeeping; rates reasonable.

SIXTH ST., 11 N.—Comfortable rooms, 20c and 25c per night; $1.25 week. (4)

SIXTH ST., 419 N.—Rooms for gentlemen; steam heat, hot water, electric light, bath; $2 and up per week. (8)

TAYLOR AV., [illegible] N.—A nicely furnished room for two young ladies or couple in private family; gas, bath and heat; [illegible]

TENTH ST., 2103 N.—Two furnished rooms for gentlemen or couple; light housekeeping. (4)

TWELFTH ST., 1021 S.—Neatly furnished small room, $5 month; also large front room, for one or two gentlemen; single beds, bath, cheap.

TWELFTH ST., 1031 S.—Elegantly furnished second-floor front room for light housekeeping; bath, gas, laundry; $1.50 to $3.

TWELFTH ST., 1033 S.—Elegant furnished rooms for housekeeping; bath, gas, laundry; $1 and up.

TWENTIETH ST., 814 N.—Six neatly furnished rooms, light housekeeping, $1.50 each. (3)

TWENTIETH ST., 814 N.—Ten neatly furnished single rooms, for light housekeeping, $1.50 each. (6)

VANDEVENTER AV., 518½ N.—Rooms, with use of kitchen, gas and hot bath; 5 cars.

VANDEVENTER AV., 523 N.—Neatly furnished light housekeeping rooms; hot and cold water; reasonable.

VINE ST., 308—Rooms, 25c; weekly, $1.25; beds, 10c; weekly, 50c.

WALTON AV., 909—Alcove room furnished; other rooms for housekeeping; furnace heat, bath; reasonable.

WASH ST., 1724—Handsomely furnished second-story front room for two gentlemen.

WASH ST., 1811—Front room, with kitchen; reasonable price.

WASHINGTON AV., 3147—Nicely furnished rooms, single or en suite; private entrance; bath and gas.

WASHINGTON AV., 3215—Front room, private bath; well heated; housekeeping permitted; also other rooms reasonable. (3)

WASHINGTON AV., 1637—Rooms for light housekeeping; also other rooms; reasonable rates; all conveniences.

WASHINGTON AV., 1722—Two double parlors, single or en suite; with heat.

WASHINGTON AV., 2648—Rooms for light housekeeping; cook stove in every room; cheap. (4)

WASHINGTON AV., 1508—Rooms for light housekeeping, $2.50 to $3; hall rooms, $1.50; hot bath. (5)

WASHINGTON AV., 1309—Large front housekeeping rooms; also heated hall room. (4)

WASHINGTON AV., 3123—One steam-heated room, nicely furnished; southern exposure; hot bath; reasonable. (5)

WASHINGTON AV., 3304—Well-heated rooms for gentlemen; hot bath, gas, telephone B533. (4)

WEBSTER AV., 1461—Several neatly furnished housekeeping rooms; convenient to three cars. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4024—Finely furnished, warm rooms; light housekeeping privileges; reasonable rates.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4106—Large and small single and connecting finely furnished rooms; fine bathroom and plenty of heat at all times; rates greatly reduced. Apply to owner, on premises. (4)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3965—Nicely furnished rooms in private home. (2)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4116—Nicely furnished room; private family; for gentlemen only. (7)

WINDSOR PL., 3862—Furnished front connecting rooms, light housekeeping; hot water; furnace heat.

### For Colored People.

BALDWIN ST., 2621—For colored people, two rooms, second floor.

COZENS AV., 4313—3 furnished rooms for colored people; will rent one room if desired. Inquire 4371 Cook.

EASTON AV., 2828A—Neatly furnished front room and use of kitchen; for colored people.

## ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.
14 Words, 10c.

BELL AV., 3824—Furnished second floor front room and hall room; board if wanted.

BELL AV., 3022—Second-floor front room; good table board; reasonable. (5)

BOARD—Fine meals at Hotel Epworth; low rates. (8)

BOARD—Beautiful 2d-story front room; all conveniences; excellent board; gentleman or couple employed; $40 per month for two. Lindell 316M.

BOARD—Wanted, party of gentlemen for two desirable, well-heated rooms; superior table. Ad. Y 41, Post-Dispatch. (4)

CLEVELAND AV., 3854—Room and board in private family; all conveniences; excellent location.

CLEVELAND AV., 3670—Handsomely furnished room and board for one or two; modern home; private family.

CONNECTICUT FAMILY HOTEL.
Steam radiator in every room; first-class table service; $4.50 week and up; special rates to parties of 3 or more; Washington car lines. 3016-18 Lucas av. (83)

COOK AV., 4204—One large front room, suitable for two or four gentlemen or ladies; home cooking; modern conveniences.

COOK AV., 4322A—Large, nicely furnished room, steam heat; first-class board. (4)

COOK AV., 4142—Two nice rooms, with board.

COTE BRILLIANTE AV., 4422—Nice warm front room, gas, bath; board if desired; for 2.

DELMAR BL., 3860—Two rooms for four persons, $1.25 each; board if desired. (4)

DELMAR BL., 5181-85—(Hotel Castlewood). We are making young couples happy for $50 per month. If you have the price, call and see what your money will buy. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3892—Light, cheerful front rooms, 2d and 3d floors; reasonable; furnace; board optional. (4)

DELMAR BL., 4101—Furnished front rooms, furnace heat, hot bath; board optional; reasonable; Jewish family.

DELMAR BL., 3952—Elegantly furnished rooms; best board; $4 to $5 week for 2; modern conveniences. (4)

DELMAR BL., 4421—Single second-floor room, with board, for gentleman; private family; well heated. (4)

DELMAR BL., 3882—Nice light front rooms; good board; all conveniences. (4)

DELMAR BL., 3952—Elegantly furnished rooms; best board; $45 per month for two; modern conveniences. (5)

DELMAR BL., 3811—Rooms, with good board; hot and cold bath.

DELMAR BL., 3850—Large second-story front room, with good board; $50.

DELMAR BL., 4322—Nicely furnished room, with board, for gentlemen; private family; Bell phone; reasonable. (5)

DELMAR BL., 4189—Furnished room, with board; Phone Lindell 2381A. (31)

DEMLAR BL., 4547A—Elegant furnished modern second-story front room; southern exposure; breakfast optional; reasonable. (4)

EADS AV., 2642—Newly furnished 2d-story room; all modern home comforts; adjoining hot bath; gas; closet; furnace; good table; telephone. (7)

ETZEL AV., 5526—In Cabanne district; nicely furnished well heated rooms for gentlemen; board optional. (4)

EVANS AV., 3622—Rooms and board; gas and bath; home cooking; music; $4 week.

EVANS AV., 4310—Two nicely furnished rooms; private family; good board; modern, for couple or gents; convenient to cars; references exchanged; reasonable.

FINNEY AV., 3714—Large, neatly furnished front room, with board; German cooking, furnace heat, hot bath; Kinloch phone; reasonable. (4)

FINNEY AV., 3731—South rooms, furnace heat; hot bath; good table; $5 week. (7)

FINNEY AV., 3688—Warm rooms; excellent board; furnace heat, hot bath, gas; all convs. (8)

FRANKLIN AV., 3029A—Nice rooms, with or without board; bath, gas, heat; very reas. (5)

GARRISON AV., 717 N.—Second-floor front and other rooms; choice table; hot bath; furnace; phone.

GARRISON AV., 600 N.—Three or four gentlemen can find a first-class front room; southern exposure; china bath, hot water; finest German cooking; everything the market affords; well heated; Bell, Beaumont 965. (4)

GRAND AV., 1069 N.—Opposite Odeon; room and board for couple; southern exposure.

GRAND AV., 1235 N.—Large alcove front room; bath, gas, furnace; reasonable; board optional; telephone Delmar 1676. (7)

GRATTAN ST., 1022—Room and board for lady piano teacher; will take lessons; gas, bath. (3)

HENRIETTA ST., 2858—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; furnace heat; conveniences; Compton cars. (5)

HOTEL EPWORTH—We have 300 fine rooms and must have tenants; fine family accommodations; both phones. (8)

JEFFERSON AV., 3749 S.—Double parlor, with or without board; in home of widow; all convs.

KENNETT PL., 1811—Two connecting rooms, 2d floor; good board; all conveniences; reasonable; gentlemen. (5)

LACLEDE AV., 3747—Warm room, home cooking; hot bath, gas; private family; $4.

LACLEDE AV., 3785—Front room for man; private family; hot bath; $20 month.

LAFAYETTE AV., 2002—Opposite park; nicely furnished large 2d-story alcove front room; good board; very reasonable to party of 2 or more; gentlemen or ladies employed.

LAFAYETTE AV., 2804—Warm room, with board, $4; [illegible] all conveniences; [illegible] cars.

LAWTON [illegible]

LAWTON AV., 2335—Furnished rooms, with good board, at $4.50 per week; all conveniences.

LAWTON AV., 2917—Board, $4 week; bath, gas, heat; phone; piano; parlor; office; home cooking. (7)

LEONARD AV., 1024—Large room or two connecting; furnished or unfurnished; meals optional.

LINDELL AV., 3557—Well-furnished, heated rooms, with board, $4.50, $5, $5.50; nice private home. (4)

LINDELL BL., 3940—Rooms and board; 1st-class appointments; telephone Bell Lindell 1433M. (1)

LOCUST ST., 1714—Desirable rooms, single and double; good board; quiet, respectable location. (4)

LOCUST ST., 3145—Beautifully furnished warm room, with board; 2d floor; southern and eastern exposure. (3)

LOCUST ST., 3119—Rooms and board. (3)

LOCUST ST., 2620—Neatly furnished large, also small room; with furnace heat; board if desired.

LOCUST ST., 1804—First-class accommodations; centrally located; outside rooms, comfortably heated; table unsurpassed; $5 per week; all conveniences; special rates now. (4)

LOCUST ST., 3032—Fine, light rooms; furnace heat; $4 per week; with board.

LUCAS AV., 3038—Clean, nice rooms, first-class board; furnace heat; all conveniences; just opened; $3.50 week up. (3)

LUCAS AV., 3217—Nicely furnished rooms, with board, for two gentlemen; $4 week; all convs. (4)

LUCAS AV., 3319—Beautiful sunny front parlor, $4 per week; elegant board, 20c meal; use of piano; also housekeeping apartment; desirable home. (3)

LUCAS AV., 3310—Single room, with board, reas.

LUCAS AV., 3008—Cleanest, cosiest, warmest rooms; 2 to 4 gentlemen or milliners; surpassing table; modern; heated; see us before locating. (6)

MAPLE AV., 5955—Rooms, with or without board; Olive through and Suburban cars.

MARYLAND AV., 4351—Two rooms, single or en suite; steam heat, bath, telephone; good table. (7)

MARYLAND AV., 4328—Second-story front room; other rooms; good board; modern conveniences; Bell phone.

MARYLAND AV., 4101—Neatly furnished rooms, with board; every convenience. Lindell 1211M. (4)

MARYLAND AV., 4220—One large, one small room, with board; gentlemen; reasonable; own home. (7)

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1018—Large 2d-story front room, with board, 2 or 3 gentlemen; hot bath; all conveniences.

MISSOURI AV., 1740—Pleasant front room, board, for two persons employed; private family; refs.

MISSOURI AV., 1425—Nicely furnished room, with board; all conveniences. (3)

MORGAN ST., 4236—Excellently furnished room, with board; well heated; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 3315—Elegant second-story front, with board, $5 per week; good home cooking. (4)

MORGAN ST., 4243—Elegant room and board for gentlemen; $25 month. (4)

MORGAN ST., 4065—Well-heated front room; excellent board; refined home; $4.50 and $5.

MORGAN ST., 5073—Room with board; large front room, two, $50; single room, one, $25. (3)

MORGAN ST., 4372—Beautifully furnished room; 2d floor; best of table; good service; Bell telephone. (7)

MORGAN ST., 2125—Rooms with or without board; also rooms for light housekeeping. (3)

MORGAN ST., 4236—Nicely furnished, warm room, with first-class board. (6)

NINTH ST., 1100 S.—Furnished room, with board, for nice young man; convenient to car line.

NORTH MARKET ST., 1926A—Nicely furnished rooms for 2 gents; board; private family. (3)

OLIVE ST., 4342—Private home; elegant rooms, completely furnished; 2 or 3 adjoining; hot bath, $30 per month for 2; board if desired.

OLIVE ST., 3607E—Elegantly furnished room; all modern conveniences, with or without board; private family. (75)

OLIVE ST., 4161—Large front room, suitable for 3; excellent table board; $5 week each; hot bath and parlor; refs.; also room for couple, $40. (6)

OLIVE ST., 4614—Elegant rooms; first-class accommodations and table; private home; prices $4 to $6 per week; references exchanged.

OLIVE ST., 3360—Nicely furnished front room; steam heat, hot water; with or without board; reasonable; second floor; east side.

OLIVE ST., 4279—Finely furnished 2d-story room; all modern comforts; for two gentlemen or couple; first-class table.

PAGE BL., 3934—Nicely furnished rooms, with best board; every convenience; reasonable. (3)

PAGE BL., 3932—Large and small pleasant, warm rooms, with very best board; all conveniences.

PAGE BL., 3919—Nicely furnished rooms; gas, hot bath; furnace heat; good table. (6)

PINE ST., 2918—Rooms and board. (5)

PINE ST., 3217—Nicely furnished second-story front; all conveniences; board optional; reasonable rates.

PINE ST., 3335—Well furnished rooms, single or en suite; good board; first-class service. (7)

PLYMOUTH AV., 6105—Nicely furnished rooms and board; Olive or Suburban car.

RAYMOND AV., 5164—Well-furnished rooms to couple or two gentlemen; modern house; all conveniences; good table and a pleasant home; terms reasonable. Call or phone Bell Forest 2619M. (5)

ROOM AND BOARD—Refined private family west of Grand will let two congenial young men share large cheerful front room and board for $20 a month each; modern conveniences and good home; references exchanged; 20 minutes' ride downtown. Ad. B 165, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD—Choice room and board; strictly private family, for select couple or gentlemen, $50 per week. Phone Forest 1454M.

ROOM AND BOARD—Two or three nicely furnished rooms, single or connected; first-class table; private family. 5741 Vernon av. (6)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—Also roommate for gentleman. Ad. T 51, Post-Dispatch. (6)

ST. CHARLES ST., 2201—Light rooms and board, $4 week; day board, $3; 1st floor. (4)

SCHOOL ST., 3158—Nicely furnished room for two; board if desired; gas, hot bath; reas. (4)

SPRING AV., 352 N.—Cor. Olive, large pleasant rooms; well heated; good home table; convenient location. (5)

TAYLOR AV., 1308 N.—Elegant rooms, for 2 or 4, with board; all conveniences; reasonable. (4)

TEXAS AV., 1625—One or two nicely furnished rooms; board optional, or light housekeeping; private family; reasonable.

VON VERSEN AV., 5545—Nicely furnished rooms and board with refined private family. (8)

WALTON AV., 915—Rooms and board; conveniences; home cooking; Suburban line; $4.50 and $5. (7)

WASHINGTON BL., 4375—Three nice single rooms, one double room; southern exposure; good board and prices reasonable.

WASHINGTON BL., 4934—Elegant room, with board; prices reasonable; gents and ladies employed. (7)

WASHINGTON AV., 2622—Rooms with or without board; home cooking; furnace and bath; $4 week up. (4)

WASHINGTON BL., 5100—Rooms and board; very best home cooking; all conveniences; telephone Delmar 1344. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4839—First and 2d-floor rooms; hot bath, furnace; first-class meals; reasonable. (4)

WASHINGTON AV., 3119—Choice front rooms with board; special rates to employed parties; conveniences. (3)

WASHINGTON AV., 2929—Finely furnished rooms; good board; steam heat; both phones; modern. (7)

WASHINGTON AV., 3023—Large second-story front, suitable for 3 gentlemen or couple; excellent table.

WEST BELLE PL., 4300—Pretty comfortable room; excellent board; reduced rates; investigation solicited. (7)

WEST BELLE PL., 4465—Desirable rooms, well heated; excellent board; reasonable. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4570—Room and board with private German family; no other boarders. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4476-4478—Desirable rooms; first-class accommodations; reasonable; board optional. (6)

WEST BELLE PL., 4094—Large second-story rooms; southern exposure; excellent table board. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4310—Large, desirable front rooms, second floor; all conveniences; excellent board; reasonable. (4)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3700—Large nicely furnished room; superior board; excellent location; everything modern; phone; reasonable. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4139—Southern room, every convenience; private family; suitable for two; breakfast. (4)

WEST PINE BL., 3694—Handsomely furnished [illegible] story connecting rooms; also other rooms; [illegible] table and service; terms [illegible]

WEST PINE BL., 4404—[illegible] in elegant home; will rent 2 [illegible] gentlemen; $23 for 1; [illegible]

St. George Hotel [illegible]

## HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.
14 Words, 20c.

FLAT WANTED—Three-room flat, walking distance Warren and Broadway, by four employed. Ad. B 169, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Single room, in private house, west of Grand; for two young men; permanent; state price; must be moderate. Ad. G 185, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Room for working woman, partly furnished, for light housekeeping; send postal immediately. Mrs. D., 5805 Theodosia.

ROOM WANTED—Furnished room, for quiet couple, on Olive, just west of Grand. Ad. B 29, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM, ETC., WANTED—Furnished room and stable; brick preferred; permanent party; state particulars. Ad. C 166, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—Two warm, clean rooms for light housekeeping; permanent. Ad. B 140, Post-Dispatch.

## ROOM AND BOARD WANTED.
14 Words, 20c.

BOARD WANTED—For child two years; must have mother's care; state price. John Thompson, 704 Manchester av.

BOARD AND ROOM—By young man, in private family; near 3100 N. Broadway; reasonable. Ad. B 153, Post-Dispatch. (4)

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Mechanic wants room and board in private German family, at $5 to $5.50 a week. Ad. B 20, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Large furnished room and board, in private family, for couple and 4-year-old girl; not over $50. Ad. B 16, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By a young couple; all modern conveniences; West End preferred; state terms. Ad. B 37, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Congenial young Scotchman desires room and board with refined American family; west Grand av.; comfortable home wanted. Ad. T 54, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished, one alcove room or two rooms, with board, on Olive, Delmar or Suburban lines; first-class neighborhood. Ad. B 156, Post-Dispatch.

## FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT
14 Words, 20c.

EVANS AV., 3976A—Handsomely furnished flats, 3 and 5 rooms, bath, modern conveniences; reasonable; references. (4)

FURNISHED FLAT—Completely furnished West End flat of 6 rooms; electricity; piano; Turkish den; light rooms; janitor; furnace. Phone Lindell 645A.

FURNISHED FLAT—Nicely furnished 3-room flat, convenient to cars; very reasonable. Apply 4107 Easton. (4)

FURNISHED FLAT—Married couple, no children, to share nicely furnished 5-room flat. Ad. G 41, Post-Dispatch.

LACLEDE AV., 3336—3-room cottage. Inquire 15 S. Channing.

LUCAS AV., 2707—Two-room flat, nicely furnished.

MARYLAND AV., 4634—Lovely second-story flat, complete for housekeeping, 3 rooms; private family. (5)

WEST BELLE PL., 4219—Two or more furnished rooms, for housekeeping; gas, hot bath, heat, telephone, all included; $5 per week; phone Delmar 1870. (6)

## FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.
14 Words, 20c.

FURNISHED HOUSE—11-room furnished house, having eight permanent roomers; vicinity 30th and Pine; to parties without children having first-class references. Ad. G 99, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Nicely furnished house of 7 rooms; Whittier, near Washington. Ad. G 196, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Eight rooms, well furnished throughout, to reliable adults; near Grand, on Olive line; rent reasonable. Ad. B 161, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE—Nice home, well heated; owner retains one room; cheap to couple. Ad. T 48, P.-D.

WASHINGTON BL., 4956—Either furnished or unfurnished, at moderate rent. Apply 404 N. 4th st. (8)

## ROOMMATES WANTED.
14 Words, 20c.

ROOMMATE WANTED—Refined young business man wants congenial roommate; every comfort; table excellent; 4300 block, Morgan; $30 per month; references. Ad. Y 7, Post-Dispatch. (8)

ROOMMATE WANTED—Lady roommate; beautiful rooms; excellent board; all conveniences; $4 per week. Lindell 316M.

ROOMMATE WANTED—By young man, at 4039 West Belle; rates $5 per week; excellent table. Call between 7 and 9 o'clock evening.

ROOMMATE WANTED—By refined young man; newly furnished second-story front room; room and board, $4.50; private family. 2906A Lucas.

ROOMMATE WANTED—Man, quiet habits; separate beds, steam heat, gas, hot bath; $1.50 weekly. 3147 Locust st.

## DWELLINGS FOR RENT.
14 Words, 20c.

BELT AV., 1374A—5-room flat, furnace, screens, awning, shades, gas fixtures, newly papered.

CHANNING AV., 313—Choice six-room house; gas, bath, etc.; rent $25. See Nicholls-Ritter, 713 Chestnut st. (8)

FOURTEENTH ST., 4421 N.—3 or 4 rooms in cottage, furnished or partly furnished.

GLADES AV., 6718—Modern 8-room frame dwelling; in good condition; furnace, decorated, etc.; key next door west. Vrooman & Co., 8½ N. 8th st. (8)

MORGAN ST., 5046—Furnished or unfurnished 11-room house; elegantly furnished; all convs.; rent $50.

MORGAN ST., 3204—Choice, eight rooms; fixtures, range, porcelain tub; very low rent. Howard Gambrill & Co., 917 Chestnut st.

OREGON AV., 2148—Six rooms, bath, $30. Hy. Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut st. (8)

PINE ST., 1507—Ten rooms, bath. Jackson, 208 S. 4th st., room 15. (4)

RESIDENCE—Will rent, on account of leaving city, handsome 10-room residence, South Side; elegant chance for right party. Ad. G 149, Post-Dispatch.

## FLATS FOR RENT.
14 Words, 20c.

BAYARD AV., 1336—Modern 5-room flat; bath, gas, hot water, etc. Andreas & Gerst, agents, 102 N. 8th st. (8)

CAROLINE ST., 3555A—Nine-room flat, two floors, all conveniences; can rent rooms; $35.

COOK AV., 4323—Modern 6-room flat; steam heat, janitor, gas range, fixtures; no children. (4)

DELMAR BL., 5214—5-room flat; furnace; modern plumbing; gas fixtures, screens; $35.

DELMAR BL., 5040 to 5050—Modern 6-room apartments; ready for occupancy; decorated to suit; every convenience. Vrooman & Co., 8½ N. 8th st. (8)

EADS AV., 2608—Second-floor, 4 rooms; bath; $20. Hy. Hiemenz R. C., 614 Chestnut st. (8)

FAIRFAX AV., 3939A—3-room flat; water, gas; $12.

FIFTEENTH ST., 2408 N.—3 rooms, $7.50; 14th st., 24 S., 3 rooms, $15. Scott & Farrar, 713 Chestnut. (3)

FLAT—Three large rooms, with southern exposure. For information apply 4370A Evans av.

GARRISON AV., 618A N.—Eight-room apartment, bath, steam heat, janitor; low rent. Howard Gambrill & Co., 917 Chestnut st.

JEFFERSON AV., 1218 N.—3-room flat, $13.50; no small children; references; owner there. (7)

JEFFERSON AV., 2117 S.—Second floor, 5 rooms, bath, $22. Hy. Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut st. (8)

LABADIE AV., 4531—5 rooms and bath; modern; rent reduced. Wm. C. Walderk & Co., 10 N. 8th st. (8)

LA SALLE ST., 1919½—Beautiful flat, 4 rooms, bath, $22.50; May 1, $20. Keys 1816 La Salle. (8)

MADISON ST., 3047—5-room flat. Inquire [illegible] Cook av.

PAGE BL., 5207A—5 rooms, furnace, etc. McNair, Harris & Jones Realty Co. (8)

WELLS AV., 5025—New 4-room flat, $23. Call 420 Odd Fellows bldg. (7)

## TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.
14 Words, 20c.

BROADWAY, 410-412 N.—Fourth floor; splendid location and skylight for photographer. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co.

DESK ROOM—For rent, in handsomely furnished office, with phone. 526 Frisco bldg. (7)

HOTEL—70 rooms; central location; possession Feb. 1; a money maker. Warren C. and I. Co., 200-202 N. 2d st. (18)

LAWTON AV., 2917—Stable, three stalls; also three rooms above.

MARKET ST., 300—A gem; first floor and basement, $60. Warren C. and I. Co., 200-202 N. 2d st. (18)

SALOON, ETC.—Good saloon and hotel in East St. Louis. Inquire Obert Brewing Co., St. Louis, Mo. (6)

SEVENTH ST., 628 S.—Stable, suitable for 20 head horses, etc. Inquire Frank W. Schramm, 906 Chestnut st. (8)

[illegible] N.—To lease store [illegible] Broadway [illegible]

## WANTED FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES
14 Words, 20c.

BUILDING WANTED—At once; suitable for manufacturing purposes; 3000 to 6000 square feet. Brown Woodenware Mfg. Co., 22d and Palm. (7)

DESKROOM WANTED—With use of phone, in office bldg; preferable, association iron and steel line. Ad. C 39, Post-Dispatch.

DESKROOM WANTED—To rent deskroom and desk in good office in large downtown office building. Ad. B 31, Post-Dispatch.

## BUSINESS FOR SALE.
14 Words, 20c.

BARBER SHOP—For sale, two-chair barber shop, good location, good trade, will sell cheap, leaving city. Call 2732 Olive st.

BARBER SHOP—For sale, two-chair barber shop. Call at 510 S. 2d st.

BARBER SHOP—7 N. 10th, three chairs; good business location; $50 down, balance easy.

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, boarding house, West End; nicely furnished; rent only $10; sacrifice. Ad. B 176, Post-Dispatch. (3)

BROADWAY, 1215 S.—Poolroom for sale; fine business; big bargain if sold at once.

CIGAR STORE—$35 down, balance $50 weekly; rent $10; steam heat free. 5 N. 15th.

COAL BUSINESS—For sale, best cash coal business in the city; call and see. 2634 Morgan.

HOTEL—For sale, modern hotel, opposite Union Station; will sacrifice. Inquire at 903 N. 6th st. (8)

HOTEL—510 Franklin, 30 fine rooms; $30 rent; in heart of largest business district; $100 down.

LACE CURTAIN LAUNDRY—For sale, lace and curtain cleaning business. Ad. B 73, P.-D. (4)

LUNCHROOM—11 N. 9th; $50 down, balance easy; or take partner; splendid downtown location.

LUNCHROOM—For sale, lunchroom; open day and night. 909 Pine st. (4)

LUNCH STAND—For sale, lunch stand. Poplar and 2d sts.

MEAT MARKET—For sale, meat market, at a sacrifice, must sell at once; sickness. 2414 S. Broadway.

OUTFIT, ETC.—For sale, cheap, $100, beer pump cleaning outfit, with horse and buggy complete; also customers' route list; any young man can make $6 to $10 per day; call any morning before 12 o'clock. J. Schaan, care Anheuser-Busch.

PAWNSHOP—For sale, $1500 buys first-class pawnshop; splendid location; a money maker. Ad. B 130, Post-Dispatch. (3)

RESTAURANT—For sale, cheap; good location; paying business; rent $50. Ad. T 32, P.-D. (5)

RESTAURANT—For sale, German kitchen, on account of poor health. 3513 N. Broadway.

RESTAURANT—For sale, old-established restaurant; cheap; good trade; owner leaves town. 314 S. Broadway.

RESTAURANT—For sale, first-class restaurant; splendid location; bargain; must sell at once. Ad. G 128, P.-D.

ROOMING HOUSE—10 well furnished rooms; lease $37.50; almost given away; any terms desired; nothing better offered. 3615 Page av.

ROOMING HOUSE—3410 Laclede, 8 rooms, furnishings new; this location always choice; sacrifice half cost on any terms; balance to suit.

ROOMING HOUSE—$25 down, small balance monthly from profits; finely furnished; almost new; low rent; circumstances command immediate sale. Don't delay. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th.

ROOMING HOUSE—$75 buys entire contents of seven-room house; terms $15 cash, balance weekly. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 10 rooms, neatly furnished to sell cash at any price; must leave in 10 days. 2804 Washington av. (4)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, rooming house; 12 rooms; permanently located. 1808 Olive. (4)

SALOON—Splendid chance; $2200 spot cash buys long-established, well-paying saloon; fine trade; splendid location; stock, etc.; will almost invoice price asked; only $25 net rent; if you are looking for a bonafide money maker the year around this is the place; business is always good here; owner would not think of selling were it not for family matters. This is the greatest saloon bargain we have had to offer for a long time; see it quick; these kind are quickly snapped up. EDGAR ZUMPF & CO., 813 Chemical bldg. (3)

SALOON AND GARDEN—For sale, good saloon and garden. Obert Brewing Co. (7)

SHOE SHOP—For sale, shoe shop, Denver, Colo., old-established business; for information see 4252 Olive st., St. Louis.

STORE—For sale, butter and egg store, combined with delicatessen and other specialties; good cash trade; fine fixtures; on account of death in the family; agents not wanted. Ad. B 3, Post-Dispatch. (4)

STORE—Dry goods and notion store, doing good business; good location; rent reasonable. 528 Trendley av., East St. Louis. (83)

## BUSINESS CHANCES.
14 Words, 20c.

ATTENTION, BAKERS—If you are going into business see our new style brick ovens; we can locate you also. Middleby Oven Mfg. Co., 216 Walnut st., St. Louis. (8)

BUSINESS CHANCE—One young man with $500 to take controlling interest in St. Louis; a proposition that I guarantee $10 per day; act quick. Room 710 Burlington bldg.

BUSINESS CHANCE—Have a lamp chimney that you can stand on; heat it and throw it in cold water; can't break it; want active man with $500 to handle St. Louis; hire your own men to sell them; permanent income, $10 per day. Room 710 Burlington bldg.

BUSINESS CHANCE—If you have from $500 to $3000, why not invest in a cash grocery store under the Lupties System, share in the profits and receive a good salary as manager; refs. Lupties, 6th and Franklin av., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

MAKE $25 to $40 week at home, new invention. Ad. C 81, P.-D.

## BUSINESS WANTED.
14 Words, 20c.

BUSINESS CARDS, 50c per 1000; other printing cheap; mail orders solicited. Doxey, 2715 Chouteau av. (4)

CALL on us at our office and list your business if you wish to sell quickly and quietly. 817 Holland bldg.

COLLECTION of claims and legacies in Europe. H. Overstolz, foreign exchange banker, 100 N. Broadway, St. Louis, Mo. (4)

PAINTER—Wanted, painting and carpentering work, all kinds, promptly attended; lowest prices. H. A. Reid, 3132 Washington av. (7)

STOP THAT LEAK—We do it; old roofs made good as new. Standifer Oil and Paint Co., 4042 Easton. Bell Lindell 1491M.

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## DANCING.
14 Words, 20c.

ECLIPSE DANCING ACADEMY, Uhrig's Cave Hall, Washington and Jefferson avs.; parties Wednesday and Saturday evening, Sunday afternoon and evening; lessons Tuesday and Friday evenings; Harmonie Hall, 18th and Olive sts., parties Thursday and Saturday and Sunday evenings, lessons Monday evening; all late dances and new music. Ahern & Albers. (8)

ATTEND $15 prize waltz; Prof. Frankel's party, 2841 Chouteau av., Wednesday evening, Jan. 18. (3)

MUEGGE INSTITUTE, Grand av. and Hickory st.; gymnasium and dancing department now open for men, ladies and children; send for catalogue (16)

NATIONAL DANCING ACADEMY, 1302 Olive st. Join a first-class school; Prof. and Mrs. Behensky guarantee waltz, two-step, schottische, lanciers, waltz-lanciers, grand-square for $3; positively no failures; you come till you can dance; lessons every night; strictly private lessons any hour, with music, 9 a. m. to 11 p. m. We are members of the International Association of Masters of Dancing. (8)

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"PARKE," the dancing master, at Military Hall, 12th and North Market sts; party Thursday evening. (4)

PROF. DE BONEY's new academy, 3806 Olive; classes now open for beginners at reduced rates; private lessons given; select dancing, informal, every Thursday evening; if you wish to attend a first-class school, where you will meet with respectable people and learn from the leading teacher, call at once; catalogue mailed. Kinloch 2945 Delmar. (6)

## MEDICAL.
14 Words, 20c.

MEDICAL—Pimples; special remedy; positive cure for $1. Ad. P. O. Box 697, St. Louis. (3)

TAPEWORM removed with head, or no charge; strictly confidential. Lock Box 579, St. Louis. (8)

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14 Words, 20c.

$2000 SECOND note at discount; by deed of trust on 1300 acres of land, 190 miles from St. Louis. A liberal discount will be made for cash. Ad. [illegible] care Laclede Hotel, St. Louis.

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED.
14 Words, 20c.

ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for household goods; contents of houses wanted. Dickson, 2911 Washington; phone D1339. (8)

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ALL kinds of household goods; highest prices; postal. Bensinger, 756 Walton, 1702 Franklin av. Phone B1841. (14)

ALL kinds of household goods bought. Jones & Co., 1143 Olive st.; tel. C742. Branch 128. (8)

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FEATHERS WANTED—Full value paid; honest dealing. M. Speelman, 1820 Wash st.; send postal. (5)

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FURNITURE WANTED—To buy, household goods in any quantity; will send man to give estimate. Phones D231 and Beaumont 399. Western Salvage Co., 2004 Morgan. (8)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED—Dining room set; must be good article in first-class condition; give particulars in answer. Ad. B 190, P.-D. (5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED—Best price paid for household goods; phone C266. L. Becker, 1531 Franklin av. (5)

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WANTED—We pay highest prices for household furniture, stock in stores; also entire contents of flats and residences; don't sell until you see us; send postal. Leonori Auction Co., 1219 Olive st. (8)

## HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.
14 Words, 20c.

BASEBURNER, ETC.—For sale, hard coal baseburner, worth $10, for $3; single iron bed and wire spring, worth $5, for $2.50; graphophone and records, cost $45, for $10; other articles. 4133 Evans av. (4)

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CHILD'S BED—For sale, white iron bed, drop front; good woven-wire springs; first-class condition; reasonable. 1805 Lami st.

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FURNITURE—For sale, furniture, fine walnut bedroom set, range, etc. 2349 Park av.

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Of high-grade furniture. We have purchased from the receiver of one of the largest houses in the country $50,000 worth of fine furniture, and will sell it at about half value. No World's Fair hotel or other shoddy goods, but the finest furniture it is possible to make.

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| 30 00 | Dresser | 16 25 |
| 20 00 | Dresser | 11 50 |
| 12 00 | Dresser | 7 50 |
| 3 50 | Rocker | 1 75 |
| 5 00 | Rocker | 2 50 |
| 25 00 | Brass Bed | 14 00 |
| 20 00 | Iron Beds | 11 50 |
| 18 00 | Iron Beds | 9 50 |
| 10 00 | Iron Beds | 6 00 |
| 7 50 | Iron Beds | 3 50 |
| 3 00 | Iron Beds | 1 75 |
| 25 00 | Chiffonier | 16 00 |
| 7 50 | Chiffonier | 3 75 |
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And every article of furniture you can possibly want. All of the highest quality at bargain prices. If you will need any furniture in the next six months don't miss this sale.

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14 Words, 20c.

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14 Words, 20c.

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BELTS—For sale, several good endless rubber threshing belts, extra heavy, 7-in. ply, 150 feet each. 316 Chestnut st. (83)

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14 Words, 20c.

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14 Words, 20c.

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14 Words, 20c.

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14 Words, 20c.

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14 Words, 30c.

LADIES—Confinements received; save time and money by calling at 2929 Franklin av.; hours 9 to 12 a. m. (3)

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14 Words, 20c.

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14 Words, 20c.

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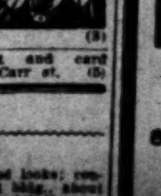
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Every one warranted for 10 years. Sold for cash or on time.
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8th AND LOCUST STS.

# BIG MAIN BURSTS; WATER SCARCE

## East St. Louis' Supply Is Much Reduced in Business Districts.

The water supply of East St. Louis was reduced Wednesday morning to nearly half the usual capacity by the bursting of the big 24-inch main which supplies the business districts.

The only sources of supply Wednesday were the 12 and 16 inch mains which run down through the stockyards district. Pressure in these mains was so weak that no water could be drawn from faucets on the second floors of buildings downtown.

The large main burst at 5:30 Wednesday morning in front of the Advance elevator on the levee, and though it was eight feet underground the water broke up through the frozen earth and poured through the railroad yards until the tracks were flooded.

Supt. Horner notified the fire department and arrangements were made to take out engines on all alarms instead of trusting to uncertain pressure.

The two mains now supplying the city run by the packing houses, and after they have drawn their supply of water there is not enough left to force water up in second-floor faucets south of St. Clair avenue. When the factories close down for the night Supt. Horner says the pressure will be strong. He says the large main will be repaired by Thursday morning.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.
"First in everything."

# MUST ANSWER FRAUD CHARGE

## Wife of Book Agent Sentenced to Penitentiary Taken to Washington by Detective.

Mrs. Harriet E. Isles-DeVaney, also known as Mrs. Harriet Le Bar, began at noon Wednesday her journey to Washington in company of Deputy United States Marshal Jack Williams to answer to the charge made by a lawyer there that she had given him a worthless check for $50.

Mrs. Isles-DeVaney denies the charge. She says the lawyer was retained by her and she sent him a check for $50. Then she learned that he was not doing the work to her satisfaction, and she stopped payment on the check. She says there was no forgery about it, and that she had money in bank to meet the check.

Last Friday Mrs. Isles-DeVaney's husband, L. C. DeVaney, was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary for obtaining $3000 worth of books from various publishers, selling them on installments to his wife, collecting commissions from the publishers and failing to forward any further payments.

Mrs. Isles-DeVaney, who says she is connected with Chicago families of prominence and wealth, was charged with the same offense, but was acquitted. As she was leaving the courtroom she was arrested on the charge brought by the Washington lawyer.

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**4446 ELMBANK AVENUE.**
Detached single flat, 4 rooms up, 4 down; all conveniences; all improvements made; very desirable; lot 27x135; $4500. E. W. LEE, 420 Fullerton bldg.

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5982-52A Theodosia Av.—4 and 5 rooms; separate laundries, baths, cemented cellar, inside rear stairs; lot 25x125.
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HOUSE—For sale, 3963 Washington; 10 rooms; modern in every respect; hardwood floors; a bargain if sold this month. Dillon, 319 Bank of Commerce bldg. (8)

## SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.
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**BENTON COTTAGE.**
Two-story 5-room frame, one block north Suburban cars; lot 50x150; easy terms. E. W. LEE, 420 Fullerton bldg.

**BARGAINS IN WEBSTER.**
150x250; modern 8-room house, barn and outbuildings; street made; between Suburban cars and Frisco Railroad; $5500; worth $7000. Elegant 7-room, reception hall, hot-water heat, electric light; marble bath; lot 150x200; price $8000; easy terms. E. W. LEE, 420 Fullerton bldg.

**CHEAP FIVE-ROOM BRICK.**
Half block Suburban car; near Benton Station; lot 50x150; terms to suit. E. W. LEE, 420 Fullerton bldg.

## DWELLINGS FOR RENT.
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Handsome 11-room residence; every modern convenience; immediate possession. NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (8)

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Choice four and five-room flats; [illegible] Open today. NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. [illegible]

# POST-DISPATCH'S COMPLETE DAILY RECORD OF DOINGS IN MARKETS AND FINANCE

## SENSATIONAL RISE IN READING COMMON

### Enormous Accumulation of This Stock Raises It at One Time Five Points, and at the Close Most of the Advance Noted Is Retained.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Wall street prices showed an irregular tendency at the opening of the Stock xchange this morning, some stocks advancing fractionally, while others declined proportionately. Several large blocks of stock changed hands on the initial quotation, the largest being in Copper, where 4500 shares were taken at 74⅝c.

Conditions noted yesterday at the close of the local session show no noticeable change, and no developments of a character to attract public buying have appeared. Yesterday's commission house buying was, if anything, less than on Monday and a continuation of the recent professional market is all that is looked for in small posted sources at the present time.

London's range on American securities this morning was irregular, but in the majority of cases slightly improved. The foreign market at the present time reflects largely the effect of buying orders from the New York account, and should not be taken too seriously as an indication of the sentiment prevailing abroad. Foreigners are still reported as favoring the Steel issues on moderate declines and arbitrage houses have been fairly good buyers of these securities in the past week. Consols show only minor changes and money market conditions are still reflected in an extremely easy money rate.

Prices advanced steadily during the first hour, the large demand for representative railroad stocks and specialties contributing to the strength of the general list. Reading was the chief feature and rose to 85⅛. Large blocks of various other favorites were taken, and gains approximating a point were numerous. Kansas & Texas preferred showed unusual activity and strength, rising 2¼ to 67⅛. Other gains of consequence were St. Paul, Kansas & Texas, Kansas City Southern preferred, Amalgamated Copper, Sugar, Brooklyn Transit and Smelting, 1@1¾; Northwestern preferred 2¼; Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg, 4, and Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, 5. Virginia-Carolina Chemical preferred fell 1 and General Chemical 2¼. Amalgamated Copper lost its rise before 11 o'clock.

No news of importance is forthcoming to account for the enormous accumulation of Reading common in the past few days, but the street is possessed with the idea that the buying is of a nature to indicate something highly favorable on this property in the near future. The buying has been largely through the best houses. And houses with Harriman connections have been largely instumental in bringing about the recent advance. As a dividend investment property on a 3 per cent basis the stock at the present time would appear to be amply high, so the buying is attributed to the anticipating of developments shortly of a highly favorable character. One rumor has it that certain large interests closely associated with a certain Boston operator have been caught heavily short of this security and are being given absolutely no chance to cover their short contracts. Union Pacific was advanced also on a heavy buying movement on rumors of impending developments, but as in Reading, nothing of a definite character was forthcoming to account for the accumulation noted.

Heavy realizing sales were apparent in the general list under the strength displayed in the special stocks mentioned and in the majority of cases the changes noted were not pronounced. Trading is largely of a professional character, certain large houses being largely responsible for the increased activity noted.

Prices at the noon period were steady at the higher level, with money in light demand at 2 per cent. Sales to noon, 628,000.

Speculation in the general list fell away shortly after the noon hour under the influence of the uneasy feeling created by the continual rise in Reading. This stock continued the center of a terrific buying movement, and at the high point in the trading showed an advance for the day of $5 per share. Rumors of a corner in the stock were heard in certain quarters, it were generally discredited, although a feeling of uneasiness caused the weakness that developed in the late session.

Railroad earning submitted during the day were of a favorable nature with one or two exceptions, principal of which was Missouri Pacific. This company has not been showing the expected increases in the last few weeks, and for the second week of January the gross returns, which were $646,000, show a loss of $92,000 since Jan. 1. This company has recorded a loss in the gross receipts of $100,627. The average of 37 roads reporting for the second week in January was well received, these showing a gain in the gross receipts of ... per cent over the same returns for the corresponding week in 1904.

The announcement that the directors of the Illinois Central railroad had declared the regular dividend of 3 per cent and a ... per cent extra was not well received by the holders of this security and the stock declined sharply. The trading element selling as in some quarters it was expected that the stock would be placed on a permanent 7 per cent basis.

The banks in their operations with the treasury continue to gain moderately and the indications point to another favorable bank return at the end of the present week. Currency from the west and southwest is seeking this center in large amounts and this is reflected in the abnormally easy money rate prevailing locally at the present time.

Sterling exchange continues to hover around the exporting point and additional shipments of the yellow metal are looked for as soon as the supply becomes available at the assay office.

The selling in the high priced issues became more pronounced as the session neared the close and prices generally got back close to last night's level. Short covering caused a minor rally and the last prices rated were generally only slightly changed for the day.

### Trial of Immigration Cases.

John E. Murphy and Lawrence Richey of the United States secret service department will leave Wednesday night for San Francisco to appear Monday as witnesses against Hippolyte Da Silva and Lee Toy, under indictment there on the charge of conspiring to import Chinese women to America. Da Silva was arrested by Murphy and Richey at the World's Fair, Sept. last. The men are accused of being prominent in the formation of a company whose purpose it was to import a vast number of Chinese to the World's Fair and evade the immigration laws.

### DONOVAN COMMISSION CO. ON THE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 18.—It looks to me as though the Wall street bunch were coming out from their bombproof shelters preparatory to taking a hand in the wheat crop again. As my friend, the colonel, says, "They are preparing to strike a dastardly, cowardly blow at the great commercial interests of our glorious country, suh." They are bracing the market a little more and more every day and giving it a stronger and stronger close, just the kind of action to get on the shorts' nerves and wear him out if they keep up these harrassing tactics. That is all I can see in the market that stacks up bullish, just a wear-out of the shorts. There is a pretty hefty shortage in the market and most of the bulls have ducked except the Wall street crowd. The Watson outfit in Minneapolis quit today, ... dope says. I hung out the danger signal ... erday ... not going to haul it in yet. ... will ... chance to sell this wheat at ... er pri... there will be in corn and ... They ... been dragging around these ... for ... g that they tempted a good ... y into ... g, and the small movement ... have ... effect than anything else on ... crowded ... kets. Foreigners are sticking ... corn ag... ... Fine ...

HARRY REED.

## NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by Wasserman Bros. & Co., 315 Olive street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.

| STOCKS. | Opening. | | | Prices at noon. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Am. Car & Foundry | 33¾ | 33¾ | 33¼ | 33¼ |
| do pfd | 93¼ | 93¼ | 93¼ | 93¼ |
| American Smelter | 84⅝ | 86 | 84⅝ | 85⅝ |
| American Sugar | 143⅝ | 144¾ | 143⅝ | 143½ |
| A. C. P. | 74⅝ | 75⅛ | 74½ | 75 |
| C. F. I. | 48 | 48⅛ | 47⅛ | 47½ |
| Consolidated Gas | 196¼ | 198½ | 196½ | 198 |
| Pacific Mail | 44 | 45 | 44 | 45 |
| People's Gas | 107⅞ | 107⅞ | 107¼ | 107⅞ |
| Rep. I. & Steel | 16⅞ | 16⅞ | 16⅞ | 16½ |
| do pfd | 69 | 69 | 69 | 69 |
| T. C. I. | 72¼ | 72⅞ | 72 | 72⅞ |
| U. S. Leather com | 13⅞ | 14 | 13⅞ | 13⅞ |
| U. S. Steel | 30⅜ | 30⅝ | 29⅞ | 29⅞ |
| do pfd | 94¼ | 95 | 93⅞ | 94 |
| Western Union | 92¼ | 92½ | 92¼ | 92¼ |
| Atchison com | 87⅛ | 88¼ | 87 | 87 |
| do pfd | 100⅞ | 101 | 100⅞ | 101 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 102 | 102⅝ | 101⅞ | 102⅛ |
| Brooklyn Rapid Transit | 64¼ | 64⅜ | 63½ | 63½ |
| Canadian Pacific | 134 | 134¼ | 133⅞ | 133⅞ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 49¼ | 50⅛ | 49¼ | 49⅞ |
| C. & G. W. | 23¼ | 23⅜ | 23 | 23⅛ |
| C., M. & St. Paul | 173¼ | 174¼ | 173¼ | 173¾ |
| Colorado Southern | 22⅝ | 22⅞ | 22⅝ | 22⅞ |
| Delaware & Hudson | 183 | 184¼ | 183 | 183⅜ |
| Erie common | 39⅞ | 40⅛ | 39⅝ | 39⅞ |
| do firsts | 77⅞ | 78⅜ | 77½ | 77⅞ |
| Illinois Central | 155½ | 158 | 155½ | 156⅞ |
| Louisville & Nashville | 140⅝ | 141½ | 140⅝ | 140¾ |
| Manhattan | 169¼ | 170 | 169¼ | 169⅞ |
| Metropolitan | 117¼ | 117¼ | 116⅞ | 116⅞ |
| do seconds | 77 | 77 | 76¾ | 76¼ |
| Mexican Central | 23⅞ | 24 | 23½ | 23⅞ |
| M., K. & T. | 32¼ | 33¼ | 32⅜ | 32⅞ |
| do preferred | 65⅞ | 67¼ | 65⅞ | 66⅞ |
| Missouri Pacific | 106⅝ | 107⅝ | 106⅝ | 107 |
| N. Y. Central common | 143¼ | 144¼ | 143 | 143 |
| N. Y., O. & Western | 41⅝ | 45 | 41⅝ | 44 |
| Norfolk & Western | 78⅞ | 79¼ | 78⅞ | 79 |
| Pennsylvania | 137⅞ | 137⅞ | 137¼ | 137¼ |
| Reading common | 83⅞ | 87⅝ | 83¼ | 86⅞ |
| do 2d | 85⅞ | 88¼ | 85⅞ | 88⅞ |
| Rock Island | 36 | 37⅜ | 36⅜ | 37⅛ |
| do 4s | 82¼ | 82⅞ | 82½ | 82¼ |
| do preferred | 83⅞ | 83⅞ | 83⅞ | 83⅞ |
| St. L. & S. W. | 26 | 26⅞ | 26 | 26¼ |
| do preferred | 59¼ | 60 | 59¼ | 59½ |
| Southern Pacific | 67⅞ | 67⅝ | 66⅞ | 66⅞ |
| Southern Railway | 34⅞ | 35⅛ | 34⅝ | 34⅞ |
| Texas Pacific | 34⅞ | 35 | 34⅞ | 34⅞ |
| Union Pacific common | 118⅞ | 120⅛ | 118⅞ | 119 |
| do preferred | 98 | 98 | 97⅞ | 98 |
| Wabash common | 21⅞ | 21⅞ | 21½ | 21⅞ |
| do preferred | 43⅞ | 43⅞ | 43½ | 43⅞ |
| do debenture Bs | 68 | 68⅞ | 67⅞ | 67⅞ |
| Wis. Central common | 22⅞ | 22⅞ | 22 | 22 |
| do preferred | 46 | 46 | 45⅞ | 45⅞ |

Sales to noon, 628,000 shares.

## COUNTRY PRODUCE.

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PEARS—In bbls, Kiefers at $1.25 to $2, according to condition.

ORANGES—In jobbing way, per box: Florida, $2@2.50; California navels, $2.25@2.75, and seedless, $1.75@2 per box.

TANGERINES—Florida (strapped), $3.50@4 per box.

CALIFORNIA DECIDUOUS FRUITS—Pears, per box at $2@2.50 per box.

BANANAS—Quotable at $1.25@2.50 bunch on orders.

COCOANUTS—Per 1000, east track, $40; jobbing way, $4.50 per 100.

CRANBERRIES—Quote at $7@7.50 per bbl for choice sound and poor stock at $6@6.50.

PINEAPPLES—Florida, Spanish red, $3@3.50, and smooth Cryenne, $3.50@4 per crate; Cuban, $1.50@2 per dozen or $2.50 per crate.

LEMONS—New Messina and California, repacked, $2.50@3 per box.

LIMES—$1@1.50 per 100.

MALAGA GRAPES—Quote at $5@6 per bbl.

GRAPE FRUIT—Quote Florida bright, $3@4, and russet, $2@2.50 per box for sound.

STRAWBERRIES—Very dull. Florida refrigerator stock held at 50@65c per quart.

### VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Quiet and steady; trade entirely local. Quote Iowa at 29@31c for common to fair; 34@35c for choice; Wisconsin and Minnesota sacked, at 37@38c on track to 39@40c delivered for choice to fancy stock.

ONIONS—Steady. Red globe, 80@85c per bu delivered.

CABBAGE—Steady. New Holland seed, $11@12 per ton delivered, according to condition. Red cabbage, 1¼@1½c per lb.

SAUERKRAUT—New city make, per bbl., $2.40 and ½ bbl, $1.40. Casks, 50 gallon, $4.

CUCUMBERS—Choice hothouse, $2 per dozen; Florida, $3@3.25 per bu box.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm. Quote homegrown new Bermuda at 50c per bu loose. Nansemond, red, 60@65c, and yellow, 60c, and Queen 60@65c.

HORSERADISH—Quote new, $4@4.25 per bbl on orders.

RUTABAGAS—Quote in bulk at 25@30c per bu delivered.

SQUASH—Quote Hubbard at 50c per 100 lbs loose.

EGGPLANT—Florida, $3.25@3.50 per hamper. New Orleans, $1.75 per dozen.

TOMATOES—New Florida $2.50@3.50 per 6-basket crate, according to condition.

RADISHES—New Orleans, 35@40c up to 45c for white tipped.

TURNIPS—New Orleans, 50c per hamper.

ENDIVES—Quote New Orleans at $3 per bbl.

ESCAROL—Slow at $1.50 per bbl.

BEETS—Home-grown, 30@35c per bu box. New Orleans, 35c per dozen bunches.

LETTUCE—New Orleans head lettuce at $2@2.50 per bbl, according to condition. Florida hampers, $1.25@1.75 for freight receipts, express stock selling as low as charges.

BEANS—Florida choice round green, $2.50@2.75 per hamper and rusty, $1@1.50.

CARROTS—Home-grown, 40@50c per bu loose; northern, 75c per 100. New Orleans, new, 30@35c per doz. bunches.

GUMBO—Quote new Florida and New Orleans at $3@3.25 per 6-basket crate.

PARSNIPS—Home-grown, 35@40c per bu loose.

CELERY—Steady. California, crates (8 doz.), $3.25 for white plume and $3.35 for golden heart. Kalamazoo, 50@15c per dozen for small. Celery roots, 25@40c per dozen.

PARSLEY—New Orleans 50@60c per dozen bunches.

KOHLRABI—New Orleans, 40@50c per dozen bunches.

GREEN PEPPERS—Florida 6s at $1.75@2.

GREEN PEAS—Florida, $1.50 per hamper.

CAULIFLOWER—Texas crates, $2@4 dozen, $3; California crates, $2.25; Louisiana, extra fancy, $3@4 per dozen.

SPINACH—New Orleans, 40c per dozen bunches. Louisiana (small bunches), 20@25c.

### WOOL, HIDES, FURS, ETC.

WOOL—Missouri and Illinois—Medium combing and cloth mixed, 28@29c; clothing, 27@28c; low and braid, 26@26½c; burry and clear mixed, 23@26c; slight burry, 22@23c; hard burry, 17@17½c; light fine, 22@22½c; heavy fine, 16@18c; lamb, 25½@26c. Northern and Western—Bright medium, 26@27c; dark medium, 23@24c; light fine, 20@21c; heavy buck, 15@16c. Arkansas and Southern—medium (fleeced), 27@28c; medium (loose), 26@26½c; slightly burry, 21@22c; hard burry, 15@16c. Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma—Medium (12 months), 26@27c; medium (6-8 months), 25@26c; coarse and low, 19@21c; light fine, 20@23c; heavy and sandy, 13@16c. Tub-washed—No. 1, 40@41c; No. 2, 34@37c; burry, 27@28c; Angora goat, 28@30c; burry, 18@17c.

HIDES—Wet stock, salted, round, 9c; No. 1, salted, 9¼c; No. 2 salted, 8¼c; fresh, ½c per lb less; part salted ½c less; bulls, 7¼c; glue, 5c. Dry stock—Texas, heavy, 18c; Texas, fallen, 16¼c; Texas, light, 16¼c; native and Arkansas, 17c; dry flint, bull, 13c; glue, 10c; dry salted, 14¼c.

DEER SKINS, ETC.—Prime deer skins, 32c per pound; black tail, 29c; inferior less; antelope, 12½@15c; goat, 26@35c each—damaged out.

FURS—Raccoon—No. 1 large, 80c; No. 1 medium, 60c; No. 1 small and seconds, 45c; No. 3, 25c; No. 4, 10c. Mink—No. 1 large, $2.25; No. 1 medium, $1.75; No. 1 small, and seconds, $1.25; No. 3, 50c; No. 4, 15c; Texas, Louisiana and extreme southern mink, 10@15 per cent less. Skunk—Black, $1.25; short stripe, $1; narrow stripe, 60@75c; broad stripe, 20@30c; good unprime, 20@50c; scabs worthless. Wildcat, 10@30c; civet cat, 15@25c; housecat, 5@10c; muskrat, 11@12½c; badger, 50@25c; bear, $1@12. Opossum—No. 1 large, 35c; No. 1 medium, 20c; No. 1 small and seconds, 10c; No. 3, 5c; trash worthless. Red fox—No. 1 large, $1.50; No. 1 medium, $1; No. 2, 75c; No. 3, 40c; No. 4, 15@20c. Gray fox—No. 1 large, 50c; No. 1 medium, 50c; No. 2, 40c; No. 3, 25c; No. 4, 15c. Otter—No. 1 large, $10; No. 1 medium, $8@9; No. 2, $7@8; No. 3, $3.50; No. 4, $1. Wolf—Prairie round, 25@40c; timber, 50c@$2. Beaver, $1@7. Northern 30 per cent more than foregoing.

FEATHERS—Prime white live geese in small sacks, 55c, and in large sacks, 50c; prime gray do, 41c in small and 40c in large sacks; old white, 38@40c; x, 27@28c; xx, 17@20c; xxx, 10@12c; xxxx, 5c; tare, 10 per cent on small sacks and 5 on large. Duck—White, 30@35c; dark, 20@25c. Turkey—Body (dry), 4c. Chicken—Prime body, 4c.

BEESWAX—Prime, 28c per pound.

SHEEP PELTS—Vary according to amount of wool on pelt at from 60c to $1.50 each—mainly at $1@1.25. Shearlings, 20@50c; clips and dry, 10@40c. Dry fallen, 12@13c per pound.

## RAILWAYS COMMON THE STRONG FEATURE

### Rumors Concerning United Railways and the North American Company Are Cause.

### THE GENERAL LIST STEADY

### Prices Are Well Maintained and the Investment Demand Is Good.

A revival of speculative activity in United Railways common was the feature of the local Stock Exchange at the session today. And this stock, on the transfer of 289 shares, gained a full point in the first few minutes of trading, and at the close of the session had been bid up an additional sharp fraction to $22.62½ bid and offerings at $22.75. The buying was based on the revival in the financial district of the rumor that negotiations were again on between the United Railways Co. and the North American Co. This stock has recently been decidedly weak on the report that all negotiations between these two companies looking toward the purchase of a controlling interest in this company by the North American Co. had been abandoned, and the present revival in the stock today is taken as a contradiction of the report that the negotiations between these two companies have fallen through.

United Railways preferred was taken on a liberal scale between $69.25 and $68.75, and closed the session at $69. The bonds of the company were well supported at $86.

In the bank and trust list and the miscellaneous class the sales were of fair volume, and in all cases prices were well maintained.

FULL SESSION—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| St. Louis Transit | $8 25 | |
| United Railways preferred | 68 75 | $69 00 |
| do common | 22 62½ | 22 87½ |
| do 4s | 85 75 | 86 12½ |
| Suburban | | 57 50 |
| German Savings Bank | 400 00 | |
| Mechanics' Bank | 280 00 | |
| Merchants-Laclede Bank | 305 00 | |
| National Bank of Commerce | 304 00 | |
| State National Bank | 190 25 | |
| Third National Bank | 314 25 | 318 00 |
| Commonwealth Trust | 297 50 | 298 25 |
| Missouri-Lincoln Trust | 131 75 | 132 00 |
| St. Louis-Union Trust | 350 00 | |
| Title Guaranty Trust | 62 50 | 64 00 |
| National Candy 1st preferred | 101 00 | |
| do second preferred | 84 50 | |
| Catering preferred | 65 00 | 70 00 |
| Central Coal and Coke com. | 62 75 | 63 25 |
| do preferred | 70 75 | |
| American Credit Indemnity | | 195 00 |
| Alton Granite | 37 00 | |
| do preferred | 75 00 | |
| do 4s | 93 00 | |
| Ely-Walker D. G. pfd | 114 00 | 120 00 |
| Kansas City Home Tel. 5s | 93 12½ | 93 50 |
| East St. Louis & Suburban 5s | 101 25 | 101 50 |
| Kinloch Tel. 6s | 107 75 | |
| Merchants' Terminal 5s | | 114 00 |
| Merchants' Bridge 6s | 112 25 | |
| Litt Rock, Hot Spgs. & W. 4s | 94 50 | 96 00 |
| Brewing Association 6s | 100 50 | 101 00 |
| do small | 107 50 | 108 00 |
| Small Hopes Mining | 35 | |
| St. Joseph Lead | 16 00 | |
| Chicago Railways Equipment | 6 40 | |
| Portland 6s | 91 50 | 94 00 |
| Consolidated Coal | 11 00 | |

SALES.

Transit, 10 at $8.25.
United Railways preferred, 25 at $69.25, 110 at $68.75, 225 at $69.
United Railways common, 129 at $22.25 and 160 at $22.12½.
United Railways 4s, $8000 at $86.
Missouri-Lincoln Trust, 45 at $132.
St. Louis Union Trust, 25 at $351.
Commonwealth Trust, 25 at $297.50, 10 at $298.
State National Bank, 25 at $190.50.
Chicago Railways Equipment, 100 at $640.
Granite-Bimetallic Mining, 100 at 40c.
Brewery Association 6s, small, 40 at $107.50.
Kansas City Home Telephone 5s, $90 at $93.25, $1000 at $93, all small bonds.

## LIVESTOCK MARKET.

CATTLE—Receipts, 3000. A moderate supply on sale. Market slow, but prices about steady.

SALES.

| | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|
| 37 native beef steers | 1239 | $5 00 |
| 24 native beef steers | 1260 | 4 75 |
| 18 native beef steers | 1366 | 4 65 |
| 21 native beef steers | 1161 | 4 60 |
| 17 native beef steers | 1207 | 4 47½ |
| 22 native beef steers | 1125 | 4 35 |
| 1 native beef steer | 960 | 4 10 |
| 5 native beef steers | 820 | 3 75 |
| 40 native heifers | 787 | 4 60 |
| 1 native heifer | 420 | 4 25 |
| 30 native heifers | 895 | 4 00 |
| 55 native heifers | 743 | 3 85 |
| 26 native heifers | 893 | 3 55 |
| 2 native heifers | 875 | 3 50 |
| 22 native heifers | 891 | 3 35 |
| 24 native heifers | 860 | 3 15 |
| 103 native heifers | 775 | 2 75 |
| 1 native cow | 1240 | 3 75 |
| 1 native cow | 1179 | 3 50 |
| 1 native cow | 1160 | 3 50 |
| 23 native cows | 1191 | 3 40 |
| 3 native cows | 1026 | 3 25 |
| 2 native cows | 1080 | 3 00 |
| 12 native cows | 1035 | 2 50 |
| 10 native cows | 766 | 2 35 |
| 2 native cows | 925 | 2 25 |
| 3 native cows | 850 | 1 85 |
| 1 native cow | 700 | 1 50 |
| 1 native bull | 1760 | 3 75 |
| 2 native bulls | 1520 | 3 50 |
| 2 native bulls | 1400 | 3 00 |
| 1 native bull | 1320 | 2 75 |
| 2 native veal calves | 125 | 7 35 |
| 8 native veal calves | 122 | 7 00 |
| 2 native veal calves | 125 | 6 75 |
| 1 native veal calf | 220 | 6 00 |
| 1 native milker | | 28 00 |
| 1 native milker | 1380 | 3 25 |
| 3 native stock steers | 683 | 3 25 |
| 5 native stock steers | 868 | 2 85 |
| 2 native stock heifers | 615 | 2 90 |

HOGS—Receipts, 8500. A fairly liberal supply; market slow but steady.

SALES.

| No. | Av. | Price. | No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 61 | 305 | $4 75 | 80 | 227 | $4 70 |
| 90 | 185 | 4 65 | 76 | 190 | 4 62½ |
| 96 | 195 | 4 60 | 57 | 202 | 4 57½ |
| 57 | 187 | 4 55 | 96 | 172 | 4 50 |
| 44 | 172 | 4 40 | 39 | 166 | 4 35 |
| 28 | 159 | 4 30 | 32 | 163 | 4 25 |
| 56 | 144 | 4 20 | 40 | 92 | 4 10 |
| 98 | 75 | 4 05 | 21 | 83 | 4 00 |
| 12 | 106 | 3 90 | 3 | 416 | 3 75 |

SHEEP—Receipts, 1500. A light supply on sale. Market steady.

SALES.

| No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|
| 5 lambs | 102 | 7 60 |
| 262 Mexican lambs | 67 | 7 40 |
| 37 lambs | 77 | 7 25 |
| 85 lambs | 59 | 6 25 |
| 20 lambs | 53 | 5 25 |
| 151 western sheep | 106 | 5 10 |
| 30 western sheep | 91 | 5 00 |
| 242 western ewes | 97 | 4 90 |
| 2 bucks | 140 | 4 00 |

INDEPENDENT STOCKYARDS.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 18.—Hog products opened steady; closed strong and active; receipts good.

SALES.

| No. | Av. | Price. | No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 68 | 251 | $4 75 | 11 | 222 | $4 70 |
| 82 | 226 | 4 65 | 75 | 199 | 4 65 |
| 81 | 205 | 4 65 | 70 | 220 | 4 65 |
| 91 | 188 | 4 65 | 82 | 218 | 4 65 |
| 86 | 201 | 4 65 | 66 | 191 | 4 62½ |
| 77 | 177 | 4 65 | 74 | 194 | 4 60 |
| 61 | 176 | 4 50 | 53 | 172 | 4 50 |
| 81 | 173 | 4 40 | 23 | 330 | 4 40 |

CATTLE—Market steady.

SALES.

| No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|
| 20 native steers | 1410 | $4 75 |
| 28 native heifers | 791 | 3 90 |
| 16 native heifers | 1032 | 3 30 |
| 5 native heifers | 942 | 3 30 |
| 38 native heifers | 628 | 3 25 |
| 22 native heifers | 975 | 3 20 |
| 29 native heifers | 751 | 3 15 |
| 4 native heifers | 707 | 3 00 |
| 11 native heifers | 811 | 2 95 |
| 25 native cows | 1082 | 3 10 |
| 20 native cows | 1011 | 3 05 |
| 15 native cows | 954 | 3 00 |
| 5 native cows | 900 | 3 00 |
| 18 native cows | 926 | 2 80 |

### He Wants $4500 for Kicks.

Horace F. James, a postal clerk of 4245 Finney avenue, filed suit Wednesday against the United Railways Co. for damages to the amount of $4500. James alleges that Dec. 24, 1904, he prepared to leave a car at Eighteenth street and Clark avenue, but noticing that the conductor paid no attention to the signal he pulled the bell rope himself. He alleges that as he started to alight the conductor ran back and kicked him three times in the ribs and once in the face. He asks for $2500 actual and $2000 punitive damages.

## SOME GAIN IN WHEAT VALUES

### Manipulation Contesting With Poor Cash Conditions in the Markets.

### COARSE GRAINS STRONGER

### Higher Markets for Wheat and Corn in Liverpool—Receipts Small of Corn.

Strength in the Chicago market, which supposed to be controlled by manipulation, and weakness in the markets where cash conditions alone influential, continues to be the features of the wheat situation. Both Minneapolis and St. Louis May wheat are selling below that option in Chicago, where some time ago, when the cash situation displayed bullish conditions, they both were several cents above Chicago values. Minneapolis was reported a heavy seller in the manipulated market today and said this for the Wall street bull interest. Nothing in foreign or domestic conditions, whether markets or crops, are of a character to excite bullish speculation, but the action of the Chicago market indicates it is receiving support and it will not be surprising if any attempt is made to boom prices even if it is only shorts who do the booming. A better milling inquiry notable here, but business yet poor. Coarse grains were strengthened, still more by light receipts, the wet weather having a bullish effect. Not much export business in corn reported, but Liverpool stronger.

WHEAT—Some encouragement held out by cables gave the buying side more standing among local traders, quite a number of whom looking for a reaction after the late decline of 5½c from the top rates made last week, and believing liquidation over. Selling was free by bears on good receipts and continued moisture and caused some easing off. May opened with sales at $1.15½ to $1.15⅝, latter ⅝ advance, and sold off to $1.15⅝. July opened unchanged at 95¼c and later 95¼@95⅜c bid.

A more bullish feeling was reported in Liverpool by Bromhall, the buying there advancing prices ⅛@¼d, and lower Argentine offers having little effect so good the support on an increasing spot trade. London, Berlin and Budapert were unchanged and ⅝c better. Receipts were 65,700 bu at St. Louis, about same as week ago and comparing with 8,900 bu a year ago, and at northwestern markets 462 cars, against 383 cars last ye

On a spurt in Chicago due to shorts covering May sold here up to $1.15¾ and 1.15¾@1.14⅞ bid, July then having buyers at 95⅜@95½c. A relapse to $1.15¼@1.15⅝ sellers for May and to 95⅛c followed, but before noon reacted to $1.15⅝@1.15¾ for May and 95½c for July, with buyers. The feeling was nervous. Latest cables reported Liverpool ¼d higher for the day, London unchanged, Paris ¼c better and Antwerp ⅝c lower. Primary receipts were 668,000 bu, against 536,000 bu one year ago, and the shipments 284,000 bu, against 242,000 bu last year. Clearances in flour and wheat were 74,300 bu.

Another fall back on which sellers at $1.15¼@1.15⅜ for May and 95⅛@95¼c followed the noon hour, but market strengthened by an advance in Chicago late in the day and at close $1.15⅝ bid for May and 95¼@95⅜c for July.

Cash market—A better inquiry and pricing reported from millers, but not the slightest betterment in actual business. Buying was only in car lot way, including a few cars No. 2 red f. o. b. from store at $1.17@1.18, latter fancy straight country. By sample delivered—No. 2 red nominally at $1.16½@1.17; No. 3 red sold at $1.13@1.15; No. 4 at $1.03½@1.10; No. 2 hard at $1.10½ and choice Turkey worth $1.12; No. 3 hard at $1.06@1.08 and yellow at $1.14; No. 4 hard at 95c@$1.03; rejected hard at 94c; screenings at 66@70c.

CORN—Strong and higher markets elsewhere, bullish cables and small receipts, together with rainy and warmer weather that would prevent country hauling, had a strong thinning influence. Bids were 43⅛c for May and 43⅜c for July, but no sellers to be found at these rates. Liverpool, after opening ⅛d lower, advanced 3d on more speculative buying as spot trade better. Receipts locally were 28,800 bu, against 142,200 bu one year ago, and at Chicago 146 cars, about same as estimated.

May opened at 43¼c and though afterwards offered at 43⅛@43¼c, again sold at 43¼c before noon. July was bid up to 43⅜c without sellers. Liverpool closed ¼d higher for the day. Primary receipts were 621,000 bu, against 757,000 bu one year ago, and shipments 529,000 bu, against 459,000 bu last year. Clearances were 764,300 bu.

After 1:20 o'clock there was trading in May at 43¼c and in July at 43⅜c, later 43⅛@43¼c, being asked for May, but that bid at close when 43⅜c sellers of July.

Cash Market—Dull, unchanged. Not much for sale, but demand exceedingly limited. By sample delivered—No. 2 at 44@44¼c; No. 3 at 43¾c; No. 4 at 43c; No. 2 at 45c; No. 2 white at 45c; white ear at 48c.

OATS—The usual morning report to make that no interest evinced in this grain in the local pit and not an offer to sell or buy. Receipts were 58,000 bu, against 59,400 bu one year ago. Chicago was better.

A bid of 31¼c was later made for May, but no one cared to sell and the bid was passed up. Primary receipts were 300,000 bu, against 621,000 bu a year ago, and shipments 376,000 bu, against 271,000 bu last year. Clearances were 7900 bu.

Cash market—Steady and quiet. Small offerings and demand. By sample delivered—No. 2 at 32c and color 31⅝c; No. 3 at 31c; No. 4 nominally 30c@30½c; No. 2 white at 32½c; No. 4 white at 32c@32¼c; No. 4 white at 31c@31½c; cereal at 31c.

### Trade Topics.

The Liverpool Corn Trade News says it will not be until spring that importing countries will feel sure that supplies will be sufficient to carry them until the new season. It says they have now entered a long period of diminishing stocks and unsettled crop reports, and from which they cannot emerge until navigation reopens in Russia and Canada. It looks for a reduction of European reserves by nearly 30,000,000 bushels by the end of April, but the quantity on passage will increase.

So far Minneapolis wheat stocks have decreased only 150,000 bu for week. Among the receipts of wheat at that market about 30 per cent is said to be from Manitoba.

During the first half the crop season of 1904-5 the exports of wheat and flour by exporting countries were 226,344,000 bu, where they were 233,400,00 bu for same period the preceding season. The amount on ocean passage decreased during these periods 12,008,000 bu this season and 7,080,000 bu the previous season, the greatest loss in both seasons in that on passage to the continent. Of the amounts shipped the first half of present season 40 per cent was from Russia, 17 per cent from India, 12 per cent by Danubian countries, 11 per cent by the United States, less than 10 per cent by Argentine, 5 per cent by Australia and about 3 per cent by Canada. For same period last season the United States shipped nearly 31 per cent, Russia 30 per cent, Danubian 16 per cent, India about 10 per cent, Canada 5 per cent, Argentine 4 per cent and Australia less than 1 per cent.

A decline of ⅝c reported in the Antwerp market would indicate the Argentine is offering its wheat more freely to that market and at lower prices. Latest sales of Argentine wheat to Antwerp were at 92½c, and on that basis sales could pretty near be made in the United States, duty paid.

The following, supposed to be written by a bright broker representing a Chicago private wire house, was found on 'change: Business has started up actively in cash wheat. Already two cars sold and another car in treaty. Rumor that a thousand bu lot sold from store, but cannot confirm. Shorts uneasy over rumor. Look for large business before close, fully 10 and perhaps 11 cars. Another country miller just came on the floor. Great excitement in the pit. Excitement subsided. Country miller walked off floor.

FLOUR—A limited domestic trade and occasionally small sales to the gulf islands makes up the total business of local and nearby mills. Most sales are of hard winter. Flour quotations as follows: Soft winter wheat flour, wood, high patent, $5.40@5.50; special brands, $5.60@5.70; second patent, $5.15@5.40; extra fancy, $4.95@5.10; clear, $4.40@4.60; low and medium grade, jute sacks, $3.10@3.75. Hard winter wheat flour, in jute sacks, patent, $5@5.20; straight, $4.80@4.90; first clear, $4@4.25; second clear, $3.25@3.60; low grade, $2.70@3. Rye flour—Wood, $4.10@4.20; jute sacks $3.80@3.90. Cornmeal, $2.40. Pearl meal, grits and hominy, $2.70.

RYE—Little obtainable, but demand light. No. 3 sold local at 80c, and No. 2 quotable at 82c from store.

MILLFEED—Small offerings, but little demand and that only local and from interior points. Mixed feed in 100s sold at 87c to 88c, latter to go South. Bran in 100s quotable at 86@87c and mids at 87c to 92c. At mill bran jobs at 90c and ships at $1.05.

HAY—Only a limited demand for the best grades, the medium and low qualities dragging at low prices. East track, timothy, $12.50 for choice; $11@12 for No. 1, $8.50@10 for No. 2 and $6@8 for low grade. Clover mixed, $10@10.50 for No. 1, $8@9.50 for No. 2, $6@7 for low grade. Prairie, $9.50 for No. 1, $8@9 for No. 2 and $6@7 for low grade. Clover, $13.50@14 for choice No. 1 and $12@13 for No. 2 and $6@7 for low grades.

FLAXSEED—St. Louis—Steady at $1.14 bid spot or to arrive, prompt shipment.

Chicago—Northwestern, $1.23; southwestern, $1.15; January, $1.15; May, $1.21.

Duluth—Cash, $1.23½; May, $1.24⅞.

Minneapolis—Cash, $1.23@1.24.

PORK—Old standard mess, f. o. b., jobbing, nominally at $11.42½ and new at $12.67½.

LARD—Choice steam, east side, nominally 6.30c; kettle-rendered, 6⅞c.

D. S. MEATS—To arrive, loose cure c'ribs closed nominally at 40@45c average; 6.62½c; 50-average, 6.57½c c. a. f. Boxed lots, jobbing: Extra shorts, 6⅝c; c'ribs, 6⅞c; short clear, 7c; bellies, 7½@8c; plates and fat backs, 5⅝c; standard backs, 7½c. Higher on orders.

BACON—Boxed d. c. meats, jobbing: Breakfast bacon, 9c for heavy to 12c for choice light; hams, 9@10c; California hams, 6½c. New York shoulders, 6¾c; plain smoked boxed lots jobbing: Extra shorts, 7½c; c'ribs, 7⅞c; short clear, 7⅞c; bellies, 8¼@9c; plates and fat backs, 6½c; standard backs, 7½c. Higher on orders.

COUNTRY BACON—Old sides, 4½c.

COUNTRY LARD—At 5½@6c per pound.

OLEOSTEARINE—Nominal at 6⅝c.

TALLOW—Country No. 1, 4⅜c; No. 2, 3¾c; cake, 4⅝c. Packers' prime, 5@5¼c.

GREASE—Brown, 3@3½c; yellow, 3¼@3⅝c, and white, 4⅜@4½c, latter for choice.

LEAD—Steady, but quiet. Missouri salable at $4.52½ to as high as $4.62½, latter for corroding.

SPELTER—Firm at $6.15 bid. Supplies small and held firmly.

## FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | $1.15¼ | 1.15⅝@¾b | 1.15¼@⅝a | $1.15⅝b |
| July | 95¼ | 95½b | 95¼ | 95¼@95⅝b |
| Sept | 91½n | | | 91½n |
| CORN. | | | | |
| May | 43 @43¼a | 43¼ | 43⅛@43¼n | 43⅛@43¼b |
| July | 43½b | 43¾ | 43¾ | 43¾a |
| OATS. | | | | |
| May | 31⅝ | | | 31¼b |

NEW YORK.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | $1.15⅝b | $1.16¼ | $1.15⅝ | $1.15⅝ |
| July | 1.02¼b | 1.02⅞ | 1.02⅝ | 1.02⅝b |
| CORN. | | | | |
| May | 50¼@50⅜ | 50½ | 50½ | 50⅝b |

MINNEAPOLIS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | $1.15⅝ | $1.15⅞ | $1.15 | $1.15⅝@⅞b |
| July | 1.12⅝@¾b | 1.13¼ | 1.12¼ | 1.12⅝ |

TOLEDO.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | $1.18⅝ | | | $1.14⅝b |
| July | 1.00⅝ | | | 1.01 |

CHICAGO.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | | |
| May | $1.15⅝ | $1.16¼ | $1.15⅝ | 1.16¼@¼b |
| July | 98½ | 98⅝ | 98¾ | 98¾a |
| CORN. | | | | |
| May | 44⅞@44⅞b | 45¼ | 44⅞@45 | 45 b |
| July | 45¼@45½b | 45½ | 45⅜ | 45⅜b |
| OATS. | | | | |
| May | 31¼@31½b | 31¼@31⅜ | 31¼ | 31½b |
| July | 31½b | | | 31½b |

## CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

| | Closing Yesterday. | Highest Today. | Lowest Today. | Closing Today. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| PORK. | | | | |
| Jan. | $12.45 | | | $12.42 n |
| May | 12.70 b | 12.77@80 | 12.65 | 12.65@67 |
| LARD. | | | | |
| Jan. | $6.65 | | | $6.62 b |
| May | 6.87 a | 6.90 | 6.85 | 6.85 a |
| Sept | 6.97@7 | 7.00@02 | 6.97 | 6.97 a |
| RIBS. | | | | |
| Jan. | $6.45 | $6.42 | $6.40 | $6.42 |
| May | 6.72 a | 6.75 | 6.67@70 | 6.67@70 |
| July | 6.85 | 6.85 | 6.82 | 6.82 a |

ST. LOUIS CASH MARKET.

| | Today. | Yesterday. | Year ago. |
|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT. | | | |
| No. 2 red | 1.16½@17n | 1.16½n | 93 @96 |
| No. 3 red | 1.13 @15 | 1.13 @16 | 92 @93½ |
| No. 4 | 1.03½@10 | 1.00 @10 | 81 @89 |
| No. 2 hard | 1.10½@12 | 1.10½@12 | 80 @81½ |
| No. 3 hard | 1.06 @08 | 1.06 @10 | 77 @79 |
| No. 4 hard | 95@1.03 | 90@1.07 | 70 @76½ |
| CORN. | | | |
| No. 2 | 44 @44¼ | 44 @44½ | 44½ |
| No. 3 | 43¾ | 43½@44 | 42½@43¼ |
| No. 2 yellow | 45 | 44½ | 46 |
| No. 3 yellow | 44 n | 44 | 43 @43½ |
| No. 2 white | 45 | 44½@45 | 45 |
| No. 3 white | 44 @44½n | 44 | 44 @44½ |
| OATS. | | | |
| No. 2 | 31¾@32 | 31¼@32¼ | 40 |
| No. 3 | 31 | 31 | 39 @39½ |
| No. 4 | 30 @30½n | 30 @30½n | 36 @38 |
| No. 2 white | 32½ | 32¼@33 | 41 |
| No. 3 white | 32 @32¼ | 31¾@32¼ | 39½@41 |
| No. 4 white | 31 @31½ | 31 @31½ | 38½@40 |

## Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

| | Today. | Yest'day | Year ago |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 3,112,397 | 3,113,419 | 5,498,297 |
| Corn | 172,543 | 169,224 | 33,878 |
| Oats | 975,399 | 974,998 | 104,727 |
| Rye | 5,628 | 9,583 | 37,520 |
| Barley | 24,793 | 23,102 | 12,573 |
| No. 2 red wheat | 931,675 | 932,775 | 4,741,682 |
| No. 2 hard wheat | 55,682 | 56,772 | 343,955 |
| No. 2 mixed corn | 114,991 | 108,616 | 6,282 |
| No. 2 white corn | 10,731 | 11,908 | 2,075 |
| No. 2 yellow corn | 26,212 | 26,212 | |
| No. 2 mixed oats | 546,830 | 550,890 | 21,204 |
| No. 2 rye | 8,032 | 4,532 | 11,963 |

## LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; steady; good to prime steers $5.65@6.25; poor to medium, $3.75@5.45; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.35; cows, $1.25@4.50; heifers, $2@5.20; canners, $1.25@2.50; bulls, $2@4.20; calves, $3@7. Hogs—Receipts today, 35,000; tomorrow, 32,000; 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $4.40@4.70; good to choice heavy, $4.60@4.75; rough heavy, $4.40@4.50; light $4.30@4.55; bulk of sales, $4.50@4.65. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; sheep steady; lambs strong; good to choice wethers, $5@5.60; fair to choice mixed, $3.90@4.90; western sheep, $4.35@5.60; native lambs, $5.75@7.75; western lambs, $5.75@7.65.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 18.—Cattle receipts, 6000, including 400 southerns; market 10c higher; native steers, $3.50@5.75; southern steers, $3.50@4.75; southern cows, $2.25@3.25; native cows and heifers, $1.75@4.50; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.25; bulls, $2.25@4; calves, $3@7; western steers, $3.50@5.25; western cows, $1.75@3.75.

Hogs, receipts, 14,000; market strong to 5c higher; bulk of sales, $4.55@4.77½; heavy, $4.75@4.82½; packers, $4@4.77½; pigs and lights, $4@4.70.

Sheep, receipts, 4000; market strong to 10c higher; muttons, $4.50@5.75; lambs, $6@7.50; range wethers, $5.50@6.50; ewes, $4.25@5.

OMAHA, Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500; market active and stronger; native steers, $3.50@5.75; cows and heifers, $2.50@4.16; canners, $1.60@2.40; stockers and feeders, $2.60@4; calves, $2.60@6.75; bulls and stags, $1.75@3.60. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market shade higher; heavy, $4.65@4.60; mixed, $4.50@4.55; light, $4.45@4.50; pigs, $3.75@4.25; bulk of sales, $4.50@4.55. Sheep—Receipts, 6,500; market steady; western yearlings, $5.50@6.25; wethers, $4.80@5.60; ewes, $4.25@5.25; lambs, $6.25@7.40.

## BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY.

BUTTER—Firm and good to choice table grades in good demand. Creamery extra, 31½c firsts, extra, 18@19c; first, 17c. Dairy packed, fancy, 24@25c; poor to fair, 16@20c. Country roll, 15½c, and packed, 15c. Northern roll, 1...; grease, stock, 4@5c.

EGGS—Received 311 packages local and 215 packages through; shipped 923 packages; market easy; current receipts at 25c, case count, cases returned; strictly fresh firsts, city packed, cases included at 26½c, and extra at 27½c.

CHEESE—Northern on orders: Twin, 12¾c; single, 12½c; daisies, 13½c; young Americas, 13¾c; long horns, 13½c; New York twins, 12½c; limburger, 12½@13c for choice; brick, 8@9c for common and 14@14½c for choice; Swiss, 16c for choice.

LIVE POULTRY—Market nominally steady, but slow sale. Chickens, young and old mixed, 10½c; roosters, old and staggy young, 5c; turkeys, 14½c for good; ducks, 11c per lb; geese, 8c; guinea chickens, $2 per dozen; pigeons, 75c dozen.

DRESSED POULTRY—Fair demand; scalded and drawn, with head and feet on: Fowls, 11@11½c; roosters, 6c; turkeys, 15½c choice; ducks, 12@12½c; geese, 9@10c; spring chickens, 11@12c; capons, 16@18c.

GAME—Wild ducks, per dozen: Mallards, $3.50; bluewing teal, $2.75; greenwing, $2.25; mixed, $2; jacksnipe, $1.20. Rabbits, firsts, 70@75c, and seconds, less; jack rabbits, $1.25 for sound and less for poor and bloody; squirrels, 40@50c per doz.

ROASTING PIGS—Market at 75c@$1.50 per head.

VEAL—Live, steady; choice to fancy, 100 to 125 lbs., 5½@6c; heretics, small and thin, 2½@3½c.

FRESH FISH—Sunfish, 2c; crappie, 5c for small to 8c for large; black bass, 12½c; dressed cat, collarbone off, 10c, and collarbone on, 8c; spoonbill cat, 6½c; bullheads, dressed, 5½c; buffalo, gross, 3c, and dressed, 5c for large, 3c for small; German carp, 2½@4c dressed; gross, 1½c; white perch, 3c; eels, 8c; dressed sturgeon, 6c; striped bass, 5@6c; turtles, snapping, 3c, and softshell, ...

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Butter firm; creameries 19@30c; dairies 18½@24c. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, 22@27c. Cheese steady; daisies, 11¾@11⅞c; twins, 11@11½c; Young Americas, 11¾@12c. Poultry, alive firm; turkeys, 15c; chickens, 11½c; springs, 10½c.

## GRAIN MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Firmness at Liverpool, notwithstanding the weakness here yesterday, induced free covering by shorts in the wheat pit today, resulting in a strong market. In view of increased receipts in the Northwest, the pit crowd was rather bearishly inclined. At the opening May was up ⅛c to ⅝c, at $1.15⅝ to $1.15¾. After selling off to $1.15⅝ the market suddenly rallied, May advancing to $1.16¼. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 480 cars, against 430 cars a year ago. Corn was firm. May opened ⅛@¼c higher at 45c, sold off to 44⅞@45c and then rallied to 45⅛c. May oats opened a shade higher at 31¼c and sold at 31⅛@31¼c.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 18.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 California, 7s; futures steady; March, 6s 11⅛d; May, 6s 10⅝d; July 6s, 10⅞d. Spot corn, American mixed, new, easy, 3s 11½d; American mixed, old, steady; 4s 11d; futures quiet; March, 4s 1½d; May, 4s 2d.

### Cotton Changes Little.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—No special features in the local market in which trading principally of a professional scalping character, and consequently a narrow market. Liverpool appears to be entirely influenced by the changes in price here, this morning opening about as expected. Spots declined 6 points and futures 3 to 5 points. So far receipts continue light and southern spot markets are fir... ...ines good consumptive buying develops and when it does shorts are inclined to cover, but on any advance the leading bears sell freely. They claim that advances cannot be sustained merely because receipts are light, as it is well known that stocks held back in the interior are large and must eventually be marketed. It is reported that Texas holders now show a desire to sell. The coming ginners' report is expected to be very bearish in its effect. It will be issued about Jan. 25. If it indicates a crop of 13,000,000 bales the effect is expected to be bearish.

### DIED.

FUEGLEIN—On Wednesday, Jan. 18, at 8:30 a. m., Barbara Fueglein (nee Highland), relict of Joseph Fueglein and beloved mother of Maggie, Annie and Joseph Fueglein and Mrs. August Stern, and mother-in-law of Mrs. Angie Sanders.

Funeral will take place from family residence, 1313 South Ninth street, on Saturday, Jan. 21, at 9 a. m., to St. Vincent's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.

SCHADER—Adolph Schader, our dearly beloved son and brother, died, Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 17, at 4:40 o'clock, after a lingering illness.

Funeral from family residence, 2323 South Eleventh street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock to Assumption Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Evansville (Ind.), Kansas City (Mo.), Bellville, (Ill.) and Kalamazoo (Mich.) papers please copy.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

SPECIAL NOTICE—Office of Mississippi Valley Trust Co., N. W. Cor. Fourth and Pine streets, St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 18, 1905. Pursuant to the by-laws, the stock transfer books of this company will close on the 26th inst. and remain closed until after the stockholders' annual meeting, February 6, 1905.

J. E. BROCK, Secretary.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

# Mercantile Trust Company

(Member St. Louis Clearing-House Association)

At the Close of Business, January 11th, 1905.

RESOURCES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Loans | $ 14,188,291.61 |
| Bonds and Stocks | 4,771,938.78 |
| Real Estate (Company's Office Building) | 550,000.00 |
| Safe Deposit Vaults | 160,000.00 |
| Other Assets | 2,957.15 |
| Cash in Vaults and Depositories | 7,544,971.13 |
| Total | $27,168,158.67 |

LIABILITIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Capital Stock paid in | $ 3,000,000.00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | 6,753,211.79 |
| Unpaid Dividends | 1,119.95 |
| Reserved for Interest and Contingent Fund | 96,500.78 |
| Deposits | 17,317,326.93 |
| Total | $27,168,158.67 |

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# "DINKY" PASSENGERS ARE SMOKED OUT

### Flee From Stove to Back Platform and Almost Tilt Over the Little Car.

### HOODOO ON MARCUS LINE

### Conductor Breaks the Ice With Controller and Nine Blocks Are Traversed.

Valiant efforts on part of Marcus avenue cars to resent the aspersions cast on them by passengers, as was told in Tuesday's Post-Dispatch, met with failure Wednesday morning.

Car 1 made a brave start and actually ran several blocks.

Car 2 was fetched from the sheds and at 8:30 o'clock had succeeded in running from Easton avenue to St. Louis avenue.

But the hoodoo was at work. The stove shamed the car by smoking at such a rate that the car's interior imitated a factory chimney.

Passengers fled. The back platform was so crowded that it tilted the "dinky" so the motorman could almost reach the trolley.

Late reports state that the stove on Car 2 is still working overtime.

Conductor George Turnure is sanguine that he will be able to extinguish the fire and stop the smoke. His patience was sorely tried at the passengers' calls for "Smoke Inspector Jones."

Still Turnure estimates that at least 130 belated persons dared the smoke and rode the nine blocks between St. Louis and Easton avenues.

He modestly refuses to discuss the running time. Motorman John Meagher on Car 2 greatly and frequently assisted his conveyance's progress by getting down and breaking the ice with his controller. Experience in its use has made him an adept.

The motorman and conductor who formed the crews of the "dinky" in its futile efforts to run Tuesday were not at work Wednesday. Passengers presume that they are exhausted by their efforts.

Some workmen were seen cleaning the tracks Wednesday morning, and that has thrilled Marcus avenue residents with hope.

### GLOBE STORE DAMAGED.

Stocks on the fifth and sixth floors of the Globe, Seventh and Franklin, were damaged last night to the extent of probably $10,000. Melting snow and ice on the roof, together with rain, clogged and burst the spouting. Water poured in through the walls and ceiling, wetting large quantities of dry goods, notions, ladies' goods, etc. Employes of the fifth and sixth floors, which are used for reserve stocks, discovered the damage this morning, and the management at once took steps to prevent further loss.

### Bequests to Charity.

The will of Mrs. Malinda O. Brown, which has been filed for probate, provides that each of her sons, Alanson D. Brown, president of the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., and George W. Brown, president of the Brown Shoe Co., shall be paid a sum equal to amounts advanced to her by them, and that they shall be reimbursed for advances of $50 a month to the deceased and her daughter. A special bequest of $100 is made to George W. Brown for advances in furnishing a home for his mother. Bequests of $50 and $100 are also made to various Baptist charitable and religious institutions.




BAD WEATHER AHEAD.

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# What Health Commissioner Simon Overlooked In His Bill to Regulate Barber Shops




# BARBERS IN HOT WATER ENOUGH WITHOUT NEW LAWS, THEY DECLARE

### Health Commissioner's Bill Is Considered by Proprietors of Large Shops as Directed Against the Smaller Ones—They Say They Give Enough Towels Now.

The proposed ordinance to regulate barber shops, introduced in the House of Delegates Friday night at the instance of Dr. J. H. Simon, health commissioner, came in for a good deal of good-humored "joshing" by delegates when presented by Delegate J. R. McCarthy.

The provisions of the ordinance are nearly similar to those of the state law governing barbers and their inspection of shops. It is aimed at the cheaper shops.

The proprietors of the big downtown shops regard it with indifference or anger, according to their temperaments, but most of them consider it not leveled at them.

Gus Weist of 211 North Sixth street read the provisions and dissected them as follows:

"What does a sanitary inspector know about the barber trade? The average inspector is only a politician who has to have a job, anyhow, and he's the easiest mark a barber has. As a general thing he doesn't know a razor from a corn knife or an antiseptic from a diuretic.

"This section that relates to barbers having the loose hair swept up and the floors mopped is unnecessary. In a big shop if the porters didn't sweep up the hair the customers would have to wade through it like a clover field in June about 3 p. m. on a busy day.

"Take this one that provides a gallon of hot and a gallon of cold water for each customer. Of course we've got it for them if they need it, but that's enough for a man to take a bath in.

"Section 4 says the barber must cleanse his hands with soap and water before serving each customer. A barber has no time to do stunts like that. He'd starve to death if he had to follow that up close and wouldn't make enough in a day to feed a jaybird. A barber's hands are in hot water half the time, anyhow.

### Plenty of Towels Used.

"Now about sterilizing razors and brushes to kill germs. Every barber in making lather runs his brush and cup under water that is so scalding hot that it would kill the stoutest germ that ever came from Germany. If he didn't clean his razor thoroughly every time he used it he would soon be out a razor by rust.

"Talk about one or two clean towels. I'll bet every big shop in town has a working stock of about 2000 towels in the shop or at the laundry all the time. In most cases three or even four clean towels are used on every customer, and in the case of a shampoo six are often used.

"We don't use a family sponge on customers; sponges are out of date anyhow and are used principally in stables to clean carriages with. As for powder puffs, I'll bet you can't find one in a shop within three miles of the Courthouse.

"Very few barbers use a lump of alum nowadays to stop the flow of blood from a cut. This I'll admit is dangerous, and the wise barbers got onto it and cut it out long ago. There are astringent powders now for the purpose which do better work.

"A man with a noticeably bad skin is always refused service in good shops. As for barbers prescribing for skin diseases, I never heard of one doing it, except perhaps to rub cold cream on a chapped or sunburned nose. If a barber did all the things the ordinance prohibits, he would not be running a barber shop but a hospital."

J. L. Tucker of 609 Pine street was inclined to believe that Dr. Simon's ordinance was directed at small shops.

"The provisions of the ordinance are in some respects very necessary," he said. "For instance, every shop should have hot running water. A small can of stale water getting lukewarm on the back of a stove is an unwholesome thing and should not be permitted. Water at a scalding temperature should be used in cups and on brushes. Wooden floors should be scrubbed frequently. Tile or marble floors should be mopped twice a day, which is the custom in big downtown shops.

### Are Kept in Hot Water.

"Barbers' hands are much cleaner than the average hands, for they are in soap and hot water 50 times a day and as many times are covered with bay rum or witch hazel or some such preparation which are largely composed of alcohol or other sterilizing fluids.

"The ordinance is a copy of the state law on the subject which hangs in my shop. No barber with a substantial trade ever thought of violating its provisions even before they took form in the brains of the health authorities. But some little shops will bear watching."

"Present sanitary rules are safe enough if enforced," said Adam Ott, a former Philadelphia barber now in St. Louis. "The trouble is not found in the first-class shops, but in the cheap ones, where they swab 10 men with the same towel.

"It is my opinion that they would have to have an inspector in every shop to enforce any more laws. Half the barbers in St. Louis don't follow the legal rules in force now.

"In the eastern cities they don't bother much with legislation regulating barber shops, but the standard of cleanliness is just as high there as here, and they take just as many precautions against the spread of disease.

"Suppose a man wants to be shaved in a hurry? Under Dr. Simon's rules you have to wash a couple of times and send out for some patent solution to sterilize your razors in. By the time you have strictly complied with all the provisions of the ordinance your customer has been in the chair a half hour."

# GRAIN RATE HURTS ST. LOUIS

### Merchants Exchange May Call Attention of Roosevelt.

Discrimination against the St. Louis market in grain rates from Kansas and Nebraska points is under consideration by the transportation committee of the Merchants' Exchange, which estimates that nearly 400,000 bushels of grain have been diverted from the St. Louis market.

A petition signed by 100 firms was laid before the committee, urging that complaints be lodged with the railroads, the Legislature, Congress and with President Roosevelt.

It is probable that the interstate commerce commission will be asked to look into the alleged rebate.

Rebates on elevator charges are alleged. It is said by St. Louis commission men that large grain firms at Kansas City, St. Joseph, Burlington, Io., and Rock Island, Ill., are reaping the benefits.

The railroads which are alleged to be involved in the discrimination are the Missouri Pacific, Rock Island, Illinois Central and Burlington.

### BUSINESS NOTICE.

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### Five Fined for Gambling.

Five men out of a party of nine, arrested Tuesday afternoon in a raid on a poker game on the third floor of a hotel at 112 South Fourth street, were fined $10 and costs each in the City Hall Police Court Wednesday. The arresting officers could not testify that the other four were playing. There were 24 packs of cards, a big rack of chips and $6 in money on and around the table when the arrests were made. The men who were fined gave their names as Charles L. May, John T. Sandridge, Thomas Collier, John Bell and Oliver Brown.

**Dinner at St. John's Methodist Church.**

The ladies of St. John's Methodist Church, King's highway and Washington boulevard, will give a splendid dinner Thursday evening, Jan. 19, at 6:30, for the benefit of the foreign missionaries, to which their friends and the public are invited.

The zeal with which the ladies have entered into this charitable work will insure a large attendance of their friends and the public generally, all of whom will be welcome to participate in the dinner at the very small cost of 30 cents, the proceeds to be added to this very worthy charity.


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# MUTUAL MISTAKE MAY COST LIFE

### Each Believing the Other a Highwayman, Two Men Fight and One Is Badly Hurt.

Each suspecting the other of being a highwayman, Robert Scroggins and Peter Costello fought near Twelfth and Olive streets early Wednesday morning. As a result Scroggins is in a serious condition at the City Hospital. His skull is fractured and he is believed to be fatally injured.

Both men are about 25 years old. Scroggins lives at 2305 Wash street and Costello at Ninth and Walnut streets. The latter is held at the Four Courts.

The two men met in Twelfth street while Scroggins was on his way to catch a Suburban car and Costello was walking home. Few pedestrians were abroad at that hour and the men viewed each other with suspicion as they approached the meeting point.

At the place where they passed each other the sidewalk is encroached upon by a temporary shed in front of a new building. The walk was covered with ice.

Watching each other closely they attempted to pass, but Scroggins slipped and fell. He arose and hit Costello in the jaw, thinking he had been tripped.

Fearing that he was to be attacked and robbed, Costello knocked Scroggins down. As he fell his head struck heavily and he lay stunned.

Costello called a policeman, whom he assisted in taking Scroggins to the City Dispensary. Physicians found Scroggins' skull was fractured.

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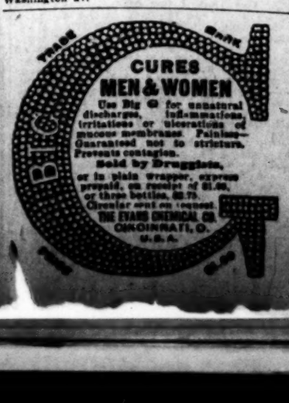


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